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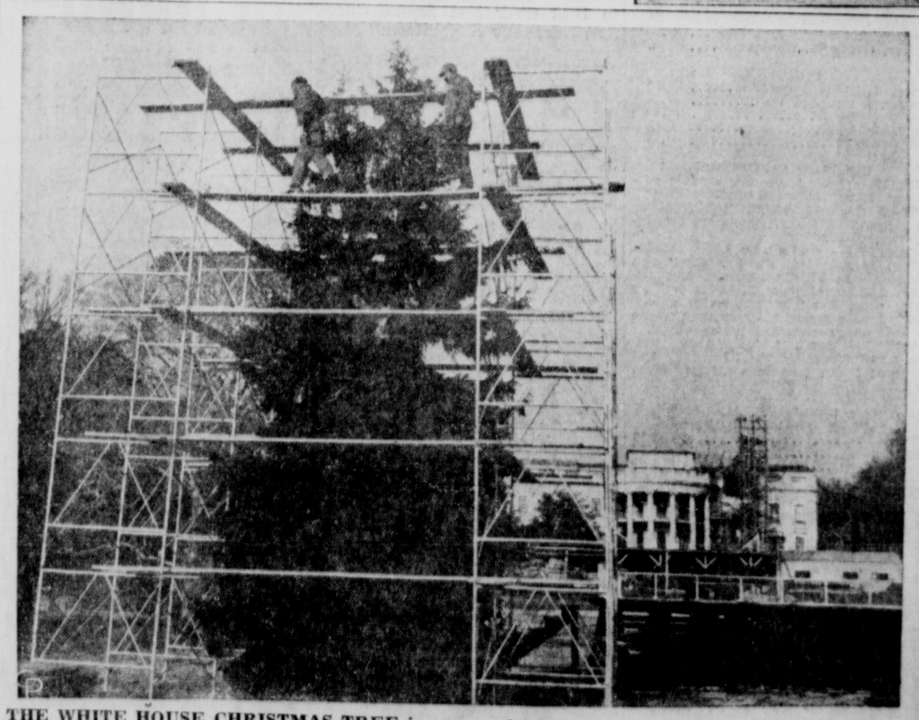
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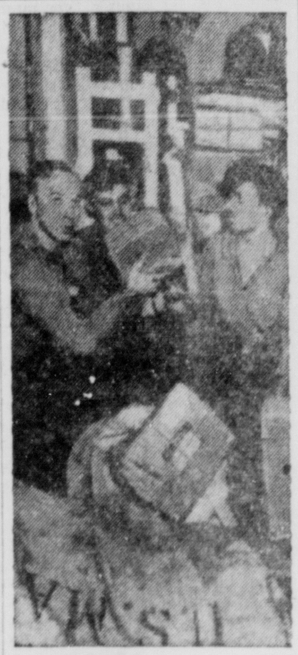
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And it's that fancy that has him sweating out the next two days until Christmas. He may have a little trouble saving his reputation with the youngsters he's promised to give sleds.

He's boasted of the times when he was a stripling—whenever that was—that he went "belly-bustering" down the knolls and hills or roped-off streets.

Big and early snows made that idea catch and those wide-eyed, innocent-looking little folk who await his arrival on Christmas Eve want to make sure they too can go "belly bustering."

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FOR SANTA and, of course, Mom and Dad, it's a bitter pill to take. It's also a matter of concern for store toy buyers who stocked up on ray guns, toy jet planes and hopalong cassidy outfits.

One such toy buyer in Columbus who's afraid he let Santa down moaned that he, among all of Santa's "helpers," is probably the most disillusioned.

This toy buyer, who shamefacedly asked that his name not be used, groaned that "for 13 years we've stocked heavy on sleds and then took a beating trying to sell them at one, two and three mark-downs."

"This year," the haggard-looking salesman said, "I swore there'd be no more trouble wrestling those sleds around, changing the prices and almost giving them away."

Wringing his hands, the salesman admitted that he bought only six sleds for the entire toy department of the large Columbus store.

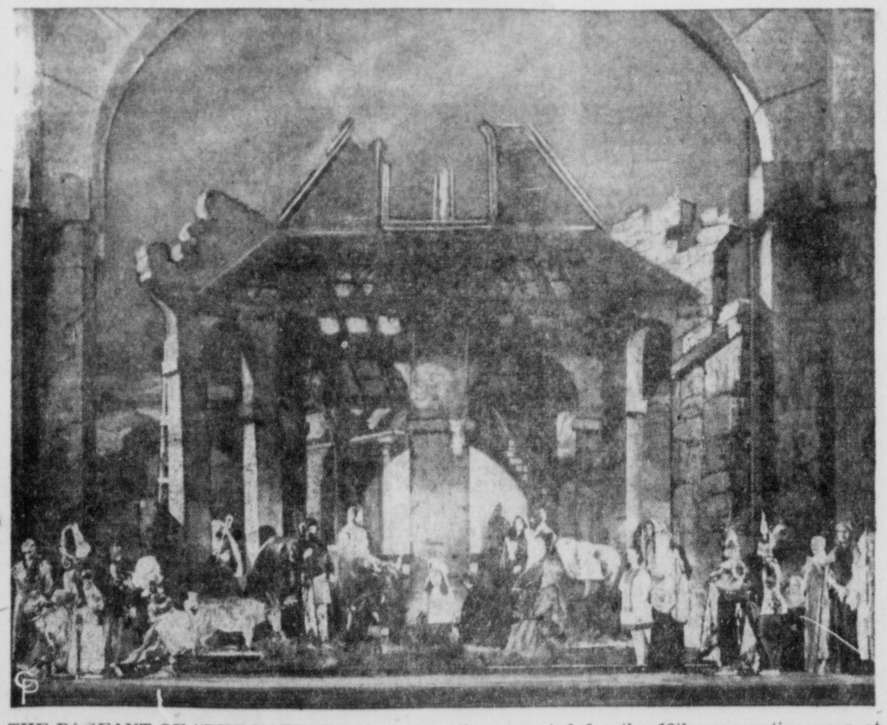
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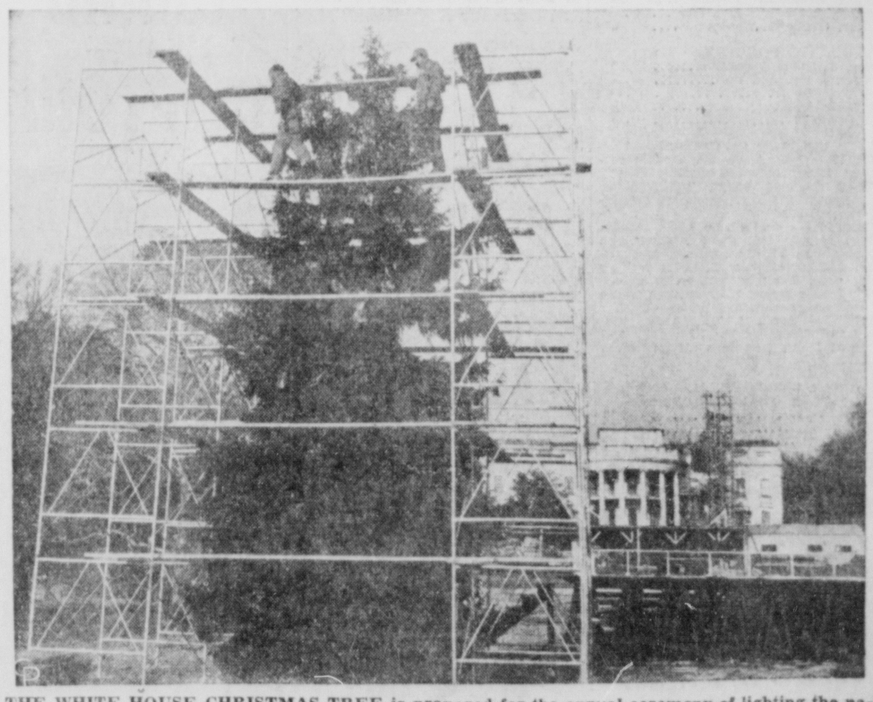
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There were others who were fortunate enough to stock heavy on sleds, but all of them admitted that they hadn't enough stock.

For the first time in several years, there will be a chance to use a sled and no matter what else Santa unloads under the Christmas tree his name will be mud if he doesn't come through with a sled.



THE PAGEANT OF "THE NATIVITY" is reverently presented for the 18th consecutive year at New York's Radio City Music Hall. More than ten million people have watched this re-enactment of the story of the first Christmas on the largest stage in the world.



THE WHITE HOUSE CHRISTMAS TREE is prepared for the annual ceremony of lighting the national community tree Christmas Eve despite the grave world crisis. Security measures, however, will bar the public from the White House grounds. Instead, the ceremony is being planned so that it will be visible from the ellipse and south executive drive in the rear of the White House.

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Attention Locker customers—our chill room is overflowing—we can accept meats for processing only as space will permit. Please contact us before slaughtering your meats—Phone 133-Circleville Fast Freeze. —ad.

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Mrs. Ira Stump, the former Gift Macklin, of near Tarlton has been removed from White Cross hospital, Columbus, to the home of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Marion, in Groveport.

500 On Hand For Yearly Dairy Co-Op Meeting

About 500 persons were present for the annual stockholders meeting of Pickaway Dairy Cooperative in Fairgrounds Coliseum Thursday evening.

Highlighting the affair was the annual cake contest. Winning top places in the four classes were Mrs. Paul Stout dark cake; Mrs. Charles Winters, angel cake; Mrs. Harry Sharrett, white cake and Mrs. Lyman Riffle, cookies.

Other winners in the dark cake class were Mrs. Russel Bowsher, second place, and Mrs. Gerald Patrick, third place.

Winning second in the angel cake division was Mrs. Galen Mowery. Mrs. Howard Smith was third place winner.

Other winners in the white cake division were Mrs. Randolf Wolfe, second; and Mrs. Vaughn Grubb, third.

Mrs. Ralph May won second place in the cookie and Mrs. Harold Bumgarner third.

The fifty cakes entered in the competition were served after the judging took place.

Earl Metzger was reelected from Deercreek Township to a three-year term as director.

Talks were given by Robert Engle, personnel and public relations director of Diamond Milk Co., Columbus, and Betty Jean Riddle.

Engle spoke on "Value of Milk in Diet Over and Above Cure-Alls Currently Advertized." Miss Riddle told about her experiences in Denmark.

Weta Mae Leist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loring Leist of Washington Township, presented accordian solos.

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Sat.! Sun.!
3 Big Hits
GEORGE RAFT
—In—
"JOHNNY ALLEGRO"
—HIT NO. 2—
BILL ELLIOTT
(Red Rider)
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—In—
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Churches Book Rites

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A cnadlelight service is to be held in the church at 6 a. m. Christmas Day, with the story of Christ's birth outlined by the Rev. George Troutman. All three choir, children's, junior and senior, will be featured in the special service. A half hour of organ meditation music will precede the service.

Presbyterian

The Presbyterian choir, directed by Mrs. Clark Will, is to present a Christmas cantata during the 10:30 worship hour in Presbyterian church.

Featured as soloists during the cantata will be Melvin Yates, Mrs. Robert Wallace and Carlton Robb. Special organ music to be presented by Mrs. Theodore Huston will be "Fantasia on Old English Carols," "Cantique de-Noel" and "Angels O'er the Fields."

"The Fourth Gift" is the theme of the sermon to be presented by the Rev. Donald Mitchell during the service.

The Sunday school is to deliver a special Christmas Eve carol service in the church Sunday evening, and the Westminister Orchestra will play selected Christmas music.

The program will continue with a processional by the primary children and the senior youngsters will lead in devotions.

First EUB

Nativity worship service will be conducted at 9:30 a. m. Sunday in First EUB church with a message entitled "The Message of Christmas" to be delivered by the Rev. Carl L. Wilson.

The service will feature special music, to be presented by Lucille Kirkwood at the organ and the senior choir, directed by Ray Beery.

A manger scene will be portrayed by the children's department following class meeting. No service is planned for Christmas Eve.

Church of the Brethren

In addition to regular morning worship services, the Church of the Brethren will present a four-act play entitled "Why Christmas" at 8 p. m. Sunday.

Calvary EUB

Worship service will be held at 9 a. m. with a special Christmas message entitled "The Shepherds Point the Way" to be delivered by the Rev. James A. Herbst. A Christmas treat for the children of the church will be presented following the worship service.

A vesper service is to be held in the church at 4 p. m. Sunday, presented by the Youth Fellowship.

The special service will contain a Christmas play entitled "A Legend of the Christmas," directed by Mrs. Edward Bost and Mrs. Dwight Wilson.

Members of the cast for the vesper play are Marion DeLong, Virginia Stevens, Wilma Wilkinson, Dick Crawford, Marjorie Conrad, Evelyn Turner, Mary Smith, Dick Blaney, Jo Ellen Cross, Marie Walisa, Martha Morris, Ruth Crawford and Rita Brungs.

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DEATHS
and Funerals

WAYNE G. BROBECK

Wayne G. Brobeck died at 3:30 p. m. Thursday in his home at 1462 Montgomery avenue, Ashland, Ky.

Born in Circleville, he was a prominent railroader and Mason.

Survivors include the widow, two daughters and a son.

Funeral services will be held in Ashland at 10 a. m. Saturday. Masonic graveside services will be held in Forest cemetery at 1 p. m. Saturday where burial will take place under direction of Albaugh Funeral Chapel.

THOMAS R. BURKE

Thomas R. Burke, 56, former Circleville resident and American Railway Express Co. agent here, died Thursday afternoon in White Cross hospital, Columbus.

Mr. Burke had recently moved into a new home at 220 East Royal Forest Boulevard, Columbus. He left Circleville about six years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday in Schoedinger Funeral Home, East Broad street, Columbus.

Sheriff Auxiliary Is Reorganized At Parley Here

Pickaway County's Sheriff's Auxiliary was reorganized during a meeting Thursday in Court-Main restaurant.

Robert Bower of Circleville was elected head of the reorganized unit, formed here during World War II as a Civil Defense measure.

Sheriff Charles Radcliff said the organization is being formed again to aid in CD during the current emergency.

He added that the auxiliary probably will aid the recently formed Pickaway County Protective Association to form a unit of nearly 200 men for the program.

Other officers elected to the auxiliary during the Thursday session were James Hooks of Williamsport, first lieutenant; Emerson Brown, Madison Township, second lieutenant; and R. T. Blaney of Circleville, secretary-treasurer.

Next meeting for the organization is scheduled for Jan. 11.

Reds Promising To 'Liberate' All Of Asia

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cialistic appeal broadcast from Pyongyang last night, calling on South Korean soldiers to join North Korea's rejuvenated Red army.

"Throw down your weapons and join us and we will treat you as brothers," said the Pyongyang radio as it came back on the air for the first time since the Communists recaptured the North Korean capital.

"We belong to the same race and do not want to fight you," it continued. "Our enemies are the Americans—not you. Do not be fooled by the Americans. Join us and we will forgive you."

1st Controls Rounded Out

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voluntary standards for the rest of the industry to peg prices at Dec. 1 levels, directed the immediate preparation of a wage control formula, and called in steel, oil, meat and scrap metal companies to study possible price curbs.

Charles E. Wilson, former General Electric Company president, took office as director of defense mobilization and President Truman requested some new war powers from Congress.

The Senate quickly passed a bill to give the chief executive half of what he asked. It revived World War II authority for Mr. Truman to change defense contracts after they have been signed.

A companion White House request for power to reorganize the government and set up new mobilization agencies still awaits action.

Under the national emergency proclamation, the President also has many other powers which he has not yet applied. Use of these will come in the months ahead. They include:

1. Authority to control movements of both foreign and domestic vessels in U. S. waters, apparently designed as a safeguard against sneak delivery of an A-bomb to some vital American port.

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2. **POWER TO CLOSE** any radio station or alter the government's rules of radio operation. This could be used to prevent enemy ships from benefitting from any U. S. radio signals.

The Defense Department also asked Congress to expand these powers to give the President ability to black out all radio and television stations whose beams might lead bombers to this country.

3. The right to extend enlistments in the Navy and Marine Corps and name general officers of the armed services without limitation.

4. Authority to call retired enlisted men of the Navy and certain Coast Guard officers back to active duty.

5. Authority to terminate charters on public vessels and to requisition or purchase vessels.

Perhaps the most important new authority is the power to negotiate contracts and purchase materials without advertising for bids. The Defense Department already is embarking on this procedure.

1000-Year Light

BLOOMFIELD, N. J. — Theoretically, a light bulb could be designed which would burn continuously for a thousand years, engineers say. But it would be useless for lighting purposes since it would probably give less illumination than a firefly.

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Bakery Truck Driver Held After Mishap

A Columbus bakery truck driver is being held in Pickaway County jail Friday.

He is Larry M. O'Donnell, 36, whose truck plunged into a ditch and overturned at about 5 p. m. Thursday three miles north of Circleville on Route 23.

Deputy Sheriff Walter Richards said the truck careened into the ditch to the right of the highway and toppled over onto its left side.

The driver suffered minor injuries in the crash, although the truck was not damaged badly. O'Donnell is to face preliminary hearing late Friday.

Weatherman Has Fingers Crossed

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ties. In the south, the reading will be about 30.

The state department of highways reported slippery roads north of a line marked by Greenville, Springfield, Columbus, New Lexington and St. Clairsville.

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SNOW DEPTHS throughout Ohio ranged from one to five inches after a night of appreciable snowfalls. Cleveland, Dayton, Canton, Youngstown, Zanesville, Findlay and Mansfield all reported depths of three inches or more. Toledo had two inches.

Circleville had half rain, half snow.

High and low temperatures and precipitation amounts in inches, respectively, at various points for the 24-hour period ending at 8 a. m. Friday were:

Canton 27-19, .13; Chesapeake 29-30; Cincinnati 34-30; Cleveland 30-24, .21 Columbus 31-27, .02; Dayton 31-28, .02; Findlay 32-28, .15; Mansfield 31-26, .06; Parkersburg, 32-27; Toledo 31-27, .14; Wheeling, W. Va., 27-21; Youngstown 27-19, .10, and Zanesville 29-25, .01.

Brehm's Trial Due March 12

Dr. Walter E. Brehm, representative to Congress from this district is free on $1,000 bail after pleading innocent to charges that he illegally accepted $1,380 in campaign contributions from two of his former employes.

Federal Judge Edward A. Tamm of Washington, D. C., Thursday ordered Brehm to stand trial on the "kickback" charges March 12. The charges were brought by two women who formerly worked in Brehm's office on Capitol Hill.



Mrs. Robert E. Lea, 1208 Enid Street, Houston, Texas, is not only a housewife and mother but she also works for a large deparement store. This is a big order for one woman, but Mrs. Lea says since she began taking HADACOL, she has the energy to fulfill all these duties. Mrs. Lea was suffering a deficiency of Vitamins B1, B2, Niacin and Iron which HADACOL contains.

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Reds Stab Across 38th Parallel

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said early Friday that "everything is well in hand."

The possibility that forward units of Red China's million-man invasion army may have entered South Korea for the first time was mentioned by MacArthur late Friday in a communique from his Tokyo headquarters.

The bulletin said that on Thursday the enemy "mounted strong probing attacks in regimental strength a few miles northeast of Chunchon," eight air miles south of the 38th Parallel and 43 miles northeast of Seoul.

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"NO POSITIVE identifications were obtained," the communique stated, "but the fact that horses and camels were reported to have been seen in the immediate area suggests that the attackers were Chinese Communist forces."

Pack camels as well as horses are used extensively by two Mongollian cavalry divisions as well as other units of China's Red army.

Front dispatches revealed that the attacking Reds carved out a wedge extending two miles south from the parallel and thus within a half dozen miles of Chunchon, a key rail-highway pivot in the heart of the Korean peninsula.

MacArthur's war summary said that in the face of the enemy onslaught "friendly forces were initially forced to retreat about 3,000 yards, but the attack was contained through the intervention of adjacent units."

Immediately north of the Chunchon sector, the communique added, there were increasing signs of a big buildup in Red strength.

Farther west, MacArthur said, Chinese Communist troops were reported to have entered the North Korean junction city of Yonchon, five miles north of the parallel and 36 air miles north of Seoul.

The entry of Yonchon, according to the communique, was reported to have been made "in force" Wednesday.

The UN commander said that the "continued strong probing attacks in various frontal areas" defended by the U. S. Eighth Army's American and other UN forces "indicate the enemy's determination to seek out details of the UN's main line of resistance."

"This," the communique added, "is normally the initial phase of an impending attack."

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The 50-50 dance at Eagles Hall, Saturday night will start at 8 o'clock. Walter Huffer will call for square dances. —ad.

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Attention Locker customers—our chill room is overflowing—we can accept meats for processing only as space will permit. Please contact us before slaughtering your meats—Phone 133-Circleville Fast Freeze. —ad.

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Mrs. Ira Stump, the former Gift Macklin, of near Tarlton has been removed from White Cross hospital, Columbus, to the home of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Marion, in Groveport.

500 On Hand For Yearly Dairy Co-Op Meeting

About 500 persons were present for the annual stockholders meeting of Pickaway Dairy Co-operative in Fairgrounds Coliseum Thursday evening.

Highlighting the affair was the annual cake contest. Winning top places in the four classes were Mrs. Paul Stout dark cake; Mrs. Charles Winters, angel cake; Mrs. Harry Sharrett, white cake and Mrs. Lyman Riffle, cookies.

Other winners in the dark cake class were Mrs. Russel Bowsher, second place, and Mrs. Gerald Patrick, third place.

Winning second in the angel cake division was Mrs. Galen Mowery. Mrs. Howard Smith was third place winner.

Other winners in the white cake division were Mrs. Randolf Wolfe, second; and Mrs. Vaughn Grubb, third.

Mrs. Ralph May won second place in the cookie and Mrs. Harold Bumgarner third.

The fifty cakes entered in the competition were served after the judging took place.

Earl Metzger was reelected from Deercreek Township to a three-year term as director.

Talks were given by Robert Engle, personnel and public relations director of Diamond Milk Co., Columbus, and Betty Jean Riddle.

Engle spoke on "Value of Milk in Diet Over and Above Cure-Alls Currently Advertized." Miss Riddle told about her experiences in Denmark.

Weta Mae Leist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loring Leist of Washington Township, presented accordian solos.

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3 Big Hits
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—In—
"JOHNNY ALLEGRO"
—HIT NO. 2—
BILL ELLIOTT
(Red Rider)
LITTLE BEAVER
—In—
"Sheriff Of Redwood Valley"
—HIT NO. 3—
"Flying Disc Man"

Churches Book Rites

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service will be held at 7 p. m. Members of the Sunday school are to present a series of recitations, playlets and songs during the special program.

A cnadlelight service is to be held in the church at 6 a. m. Christmas Day, with the story of Christ's birth outlined by the Rev. George Troutman. All three choir, children's, junior and senior, will be featured in the special service. A half hour of organ meditation music will precede the service.

Presbyterian

The Presbyterian choir, directed by Mrs. Clark Will, is to present a Christmas cantata during the 10:30 worship hour in Presbyterian church.

Featured as soloists during the cantata will be Melvin Yates, Mrs. Robert Wallace and Carlton Robb. Special organ music to be presented by Mrs. Theodore Huston will be "Fantasia on Old English Carols," "Cantique de-Noel" and "Angels O'er the Fields."

"The Fourth Gift" is the theme of the sermon to be presented by the Rev. Donald Mitchell during the service.

The Sunday school is to deliver a special Christmas Eve carol service in the church Sunday evening, and the Westminister Orchestra will play selected Christmas music.

The program will continue with a processional by the primary children and the senior youngsters will lead in devotions.

First EUB

Nativity worship service will be conducted at 9:30 a. m. Sunday in First EUB church with a message entitled "The Message of Christmas" to be delivered by the Rev. Carl L. Wilson.

The service will feature special music, to be presented by Lucille Kirkwood at the organ and the senior choir, directed by Ray Beery.

A manger scene will be portrayed by the children's department following class meeting. No service is planned for Christmas Eve.

Church of the Brethren

In addition to regular morning worship services, the Church of the Brethren will present a four-act play entitled "Why Christmas" at 8 p. m. Sunday.

Calvary EUB

Worship service will be held at 9 a. m. with a special Christmas message entitled "The Shepherds Point the Way" to be delivered by the Rev. James A. Herbst. A Christmas treat for the children of the church will be presented following the worship service.

A vesper service is to be held in the church at 4 p. m. Sunday, presented by the Youth Fellowship.

The special service will contain a Christmas play entitled "A Legend of the Christmas," directed by Mrs. Edward Bost and Mrs. Dwight Wilson.

Members of the cast for the vesper play are Marion DeLong, Virginia Stevens, Wilma Wilkinson, Dick Crawford, Marjorie Conrad, Evelyn Turner, Mary Smith, Dick Blaney, Jo Ellen Cross, Marie Walisa, Martha Morris, Ruth Crawford and Rita Brungs.

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DEATHS
and Funerals

WAYNE G. BROBECK

Wayne G. Brobeck died at 3:30 p. m. Thursday in his home at 1462 Montgomery avenue, Ashland, Ky.

Born in Circleville, he was a prominent railroader and Mason.

Survivors include the widow, two daughters and a son.

Funeral services will be held in Ashland at 10 a. m. Saturday. Masonic graveside services will be held in Forest cemetery at 1 p. m. Saturday where burial will take place under direction of Albaugh Funeral Chapel.

THOMAS R. BURKE

Thomas R. Burke, 56, former Circleville resident and American Railway Express Co. agent here, died Thursday afternoon in White Cross hospital, Columbus.

Mr. Burke had recently moved into a new home at 220 East Royal Forest Boulevard, Columbus. He left Circleville about six years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday in Schoedinger Funeral Home, East Broad street, Columbus.

Sheriff Auxiliary Is Reorganized At Parley Here

Pickaway County's Sheriff's Auxiliary was reorganized during a meeting Thursday in Court-Main restaurant.

Robert Bower of Circleville was elected head of the reorganized unit, formed here during World War II as a Civil Defense measure.

Sheriff Charles Radcliff said the organization is being formed again to aid in CD during the current emergency.

He added that the auxiliary probably will aid the recently formed Pickaway County Protective Association to form a unit of nearly 200 men for the program.

Other officers elected to the auxiliary during the Thursday session were James Hooks of Williamsport, first lieutenant; Emerson Brown, Madison Township, second lieutenant; and R. T. Blaney of Circleville, secretary-treasurer.

Next meeting for the organization is scheduled for Jan. 11.

Reds Promising To 'Liberate' All Of Asia

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cialistic appeal broadcast from Pyongyang last night, calling on South Korean soldiers to join North Korea's rejuvenated Red army.

"Throw down your weapons and join us and we will treat you as brothers," said the Pyongyang radio as it came back on the air for the first time since the Communists recaptured the North Korean capital.

"We belong to the same race and do not want to fight you," it continued. "Our enemies are the Americans—not you. Do not be fooled by the Americans. Join us and we will forgive you."

1st Controls Rounded Out

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voluntary standards for the rest of the industry to peg prices at Dec. 1 levels, directed the immediate preparation of a wage control formula, and called in steel, oil, meat and scrap metal companies to study possible price curbs.

Charles E. Wilson, former General Electric Company president, took office as director of defense mobilization and President Truman requested some new war powers from Congress.

The Senate quickly passed a bill to give the chief executive half of what he asked. It revived World War II authority for Mr. Truman to change defense contracts after they have been signed.

A companion White House request for power to reorganize the government and set up new mobilization agencies still awaits action.

Under the national emergency proclamation, the President also has many other powers which he has not yet applied. Use of these will come in the months ahead. They include:

1. Authority to control movements of both foreign and domestic vessels in U. S. waters, apparently designed as a safeguard against sneak delivery of an A-bomb to some vital American port.

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2. **POWER TO CLOSE** any radio station or alter the government's rules of radio operation. This could be used to prevent enemy ships from benefitting from any U. S. radio signals.

The Defense Department also asked Congress to expand these powers to give the President ability to black out all radio and television stations whose beams might lead bombers to this country.

3. The right to extend enlistments in the Navy and Marine Corps and name general officers of the armed services without limitation.

4. Authority to call retired enlisted men of the Navy and certain Coast Guard officers back to active duty.

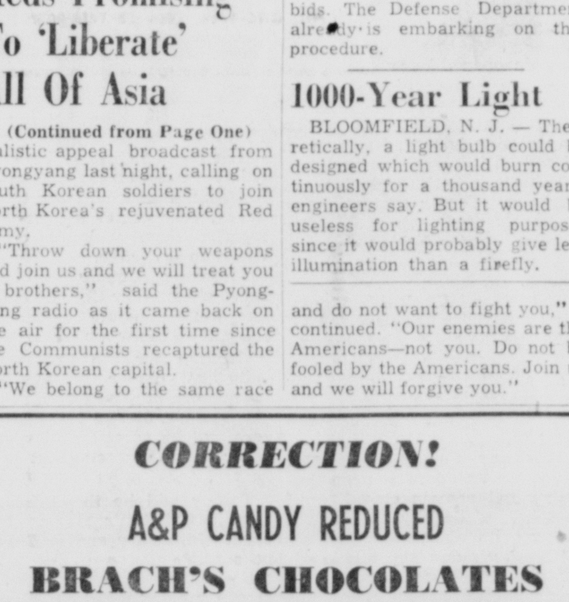
5. Authority to terminate charters on public vessels and to requisition or purchase vessels.

Perhaps the most important new authority is the power to negotiate contracts and purchase materials without advertising for bids. The Defense Department already is embarking on this procedure.

1000-Year Light

BLOOMFIELD, N. J. — Theoretically, a light bulb could be designed which would burn continuously for a thousand years, engineers say. But it would be useless for lighting purposes since it would probably give less illumination than a firefly.

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Bakery Truck Driver Held After Mishap

A Columbus bakery truck driver is being held in Pickaway County jail Friday.

He is Larry M. O'Donnell, 36, whose truck plunged into a ditch and overturned at about 5 p. m. Thursday three miles north of Circleville on Route 23.

Deputy Sheriff Walter Richards said the truck careened into the ditch to the right of the highway and toppled over onto its left side.

The driver suffered minor injuries in the crash, although the truck was not damaged badly. O'Donnell is to face preliminary hearing late Friday.

Weatherman Has Fingers Crossed

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ties. In the south, the reading will be about 30.

The state department of highways reported slippery roads north of a line marked by Greenville, Springfield, Columbus, New Lexington and St. Clairsville.

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SNOW DEPTHS throughout Ohio ranged from one to five inches after a night of appreciable snowfalls. Cleveland, Dayton, Canton, Youngstown, Zanesville, Findlay and Mansfield all reported depths of three inches or more. Toledo had two inches.

Circleville had half rain, half snow.

High and low temperatures and precipitation amounts in inches, respectively, at various points for the 24-hour period ending at 8 a. m. Friday were:

Canton 27-19, .13; Chesapeake 29-30; Cincinnati 34-30; Cleveland 30-24, .21 Columbus 31-27, .02; Dayton 31-28, .02; Findlay 32-28, .15; Mansfield 31-26, .06; Parkersburg, 32-27; Toledo 31-27, .14; Wheeling, W. Va., 27-21; Youngstown 27-19, .10, and Zanesville 29-25, .01.

Brehm's Trial Due March 12

Dr. Walter E. Brehm, representative to Congress from this district is free on $1,000 bail after pleading innocent to charges that he illegally accepted $1,380 in campaign contributions from two of his former employes.

Federal Judge Edward A. Tamm of Washington, D. C., Thursday ordered Brehm to stand trial on the "kickback" charges March 12. The charges were brought by two women who formerly worked in Brehm's office on Capitol Hill.



Mrs. Robert E. Lea, 1208 Enid Street, Houston, Texas, is not only a housewife and mother but she also works for a large deparement store. This is a big order for one woman, but Mrs. Lea says since she began taking HADACOL, she has the energy to fulfill all these duties. Mrs. Lea was suffering a deficiency of Vitamins B1, B2, Niacin and Iron which HADACOL contains.

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Reds Stab Across 38th Parallel

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said early Friday that "everything is well in hand."

The possibility that forward units of Red China's million-man invasion army may have entered South Korea for the first time was mentioned by MacArthur late Friday in a communique from his Tokyo headquarters.

The bulletin said that on Thursday the enemy "mounted strong probing attacks in regimental strength a few miles northeast of Chunchon," eight air miles south of the 38th Parallel and 43 miles northeast of Seoul.

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"NO POSITIVE identifications were obtained," the communique stated, "but the fact that horses and camels were reported to have been seen in the immediate area suggests that the attackers were Chinese Communist forces."

Pack camels as well as horses are used extensively by two Mongollian cavalry divisions as well as other units of China's Red army.

Front dispatches revealed that the attacking Reds carved out a wedge extending two miles south from the parallel and thus within a half dozen miles of Chunchon, a key rail-highway pivot in the heart of the Korean peninsula.

MacArthur's war summary said that in the face of the enemy onslaught "friendly forces were initially forced to retreat about 3,000 yards, but the attack was contained through the intervention of adjacent units."

Immediately north of the Chunchon sector, the communique added, there were increasing signs of a big buildup in Red strength.

Farther west, MacArthur said, Chinese Communist troops were reported to have entered the North Korean junction city of Yonchon, five miles north of the parallel and 36 air miles north of Seoul.

The entry of Yonchon, according to the communique, was reported to have been made "in force" Wednesday.

The UN commander said that the "continued strong probing attacks in various frontal areas" defended by the U. S. Eighth Army's American and other UN forces "indicate the enemy's determination to seek out details of the UN's main line of resistance."

"This," the communique added, "is normally the initial phase of an impending attack."

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griffey of East Watt street are the parents of a daughter born at 5:17 a. m. Friday in Berger hospital.

MISS CLIFTON

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clifton of 142½ West Main street are the parents of a daughter, born Monday in White Cross hospital, Columbus.

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Free Medicine Total Too Much

LONDON,—Sir John Charles, chief medical officer to Britain's ministry of health, believes that too much free medicine is going down Britons' throats.

In 1949 a total of 201 million prescriptions were dispensed under the nation's billion-dollar-a year National Health Service while figures for 1950 show that up to June 211 million were issued. Said Sir John: "It is difficult to believe that medicine drinking on this scale is of even temporary benefit to the nation's health."

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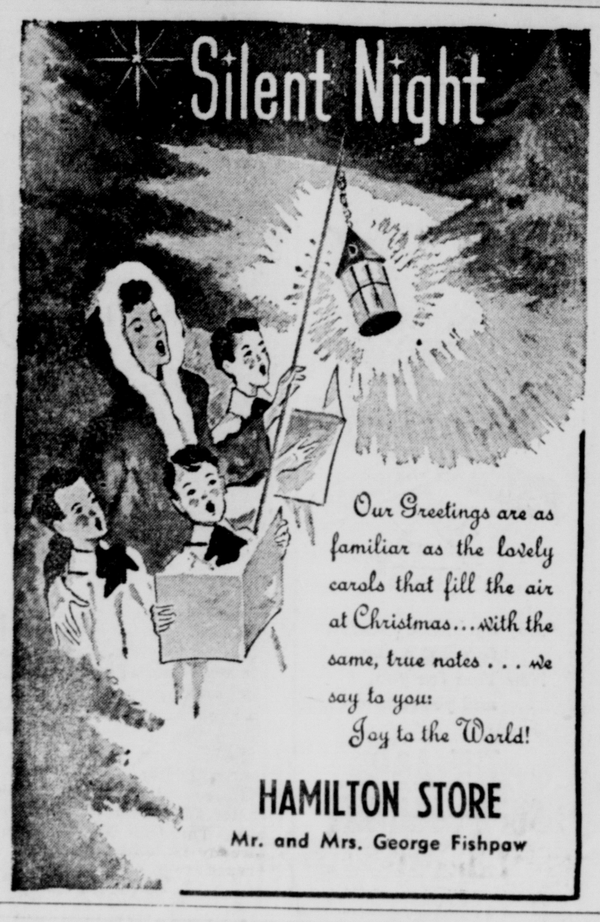
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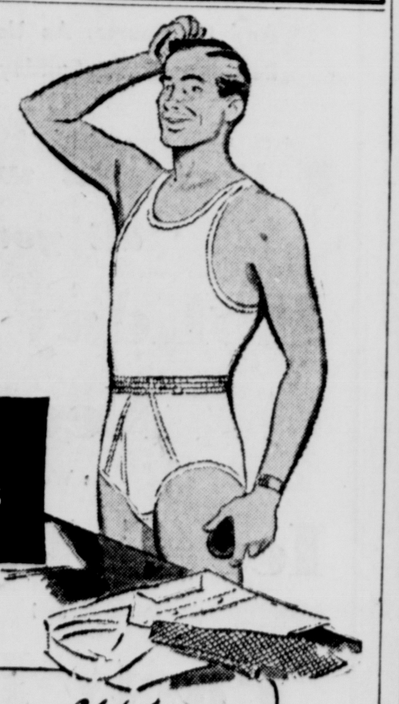


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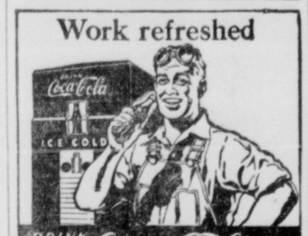
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Free Medicine Total Too Much

LONDON,—Sir John Charles, chief medical officer to Britain's ministry of health, believes that too much free medicine is going down Britons' throats.

In 1949 a total of 201 million prescriptions were dispensed under the nation's billion-dollar-a year National Health Service while figures for 1950 show that up to June 211 million were issued. Said Sir John: "It is difficult to believe that medicine drinking on this scale is of even temporary benefit to the nation's health."

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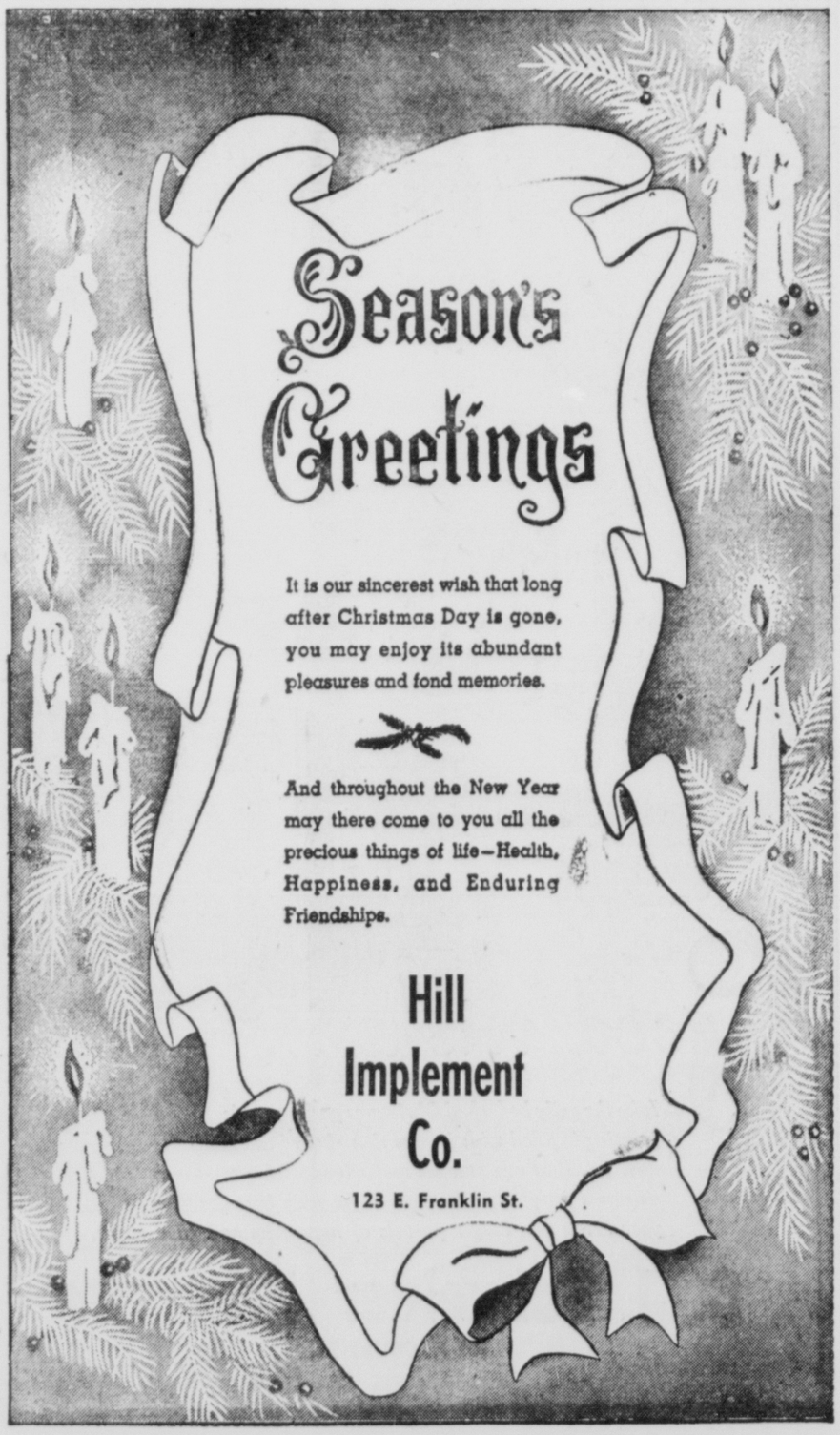
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They are the 166th Fighter Squadron and the 166th Weather Station units. Both groups already are in training at the base.

Local men, members of the fighter squadron, who will be affected by the call to active duty will be Lt. Clayborne Smoot, East Main street; Joseph Smalley, Circleville Route 4; Robert Binkley, Town street; Dwight Grubb, Circleville Route 4; Russell Teets, Ohio Street;

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The Columbus fighter squadron has been training in both jet and Mustang fighter planes. The weather unit called is a small unit handling weather forecasts for the squadron.

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11 County Men Facing Active Duty

Members Of Air Guard Get Orders

At least 11 Pickaway County men will be placed on active duty with the Ohio Air National Guard Feb. 1 at Lockbourne Air Base.

Gov. Frank Lausche has ordered two Columbus units into active duty at the nearby base Feb. 1.

They are the 166th Fighter Squadron and the 166th Weather Station units. Both groups already are in training at the base.

Local men, members of the fighter squadron, who will be affected by the call to active duty will be Lt. Clayborne Smoot, East Main street; Joseph Smalley, Circleville Route 4; Robert Binkley, Town street; Dwight Grubb, Circleville Route 4; Russell Teets, Ohio Street;

Ralph Brown, Circleville Route 4; Dwight Weiler, Pickaway street; Richard Hill, Circleville Route 4; Gilbert Zeigler, Circleville Route 4; Ralph Strawser, Circleville Route 4; and Paul Strawser, Circleville Route 4.

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THE ACTIVATION of the two air groups was simultaneous with the announcement from Washington that five Air National Guard groups and a number of smaller units will be activated.

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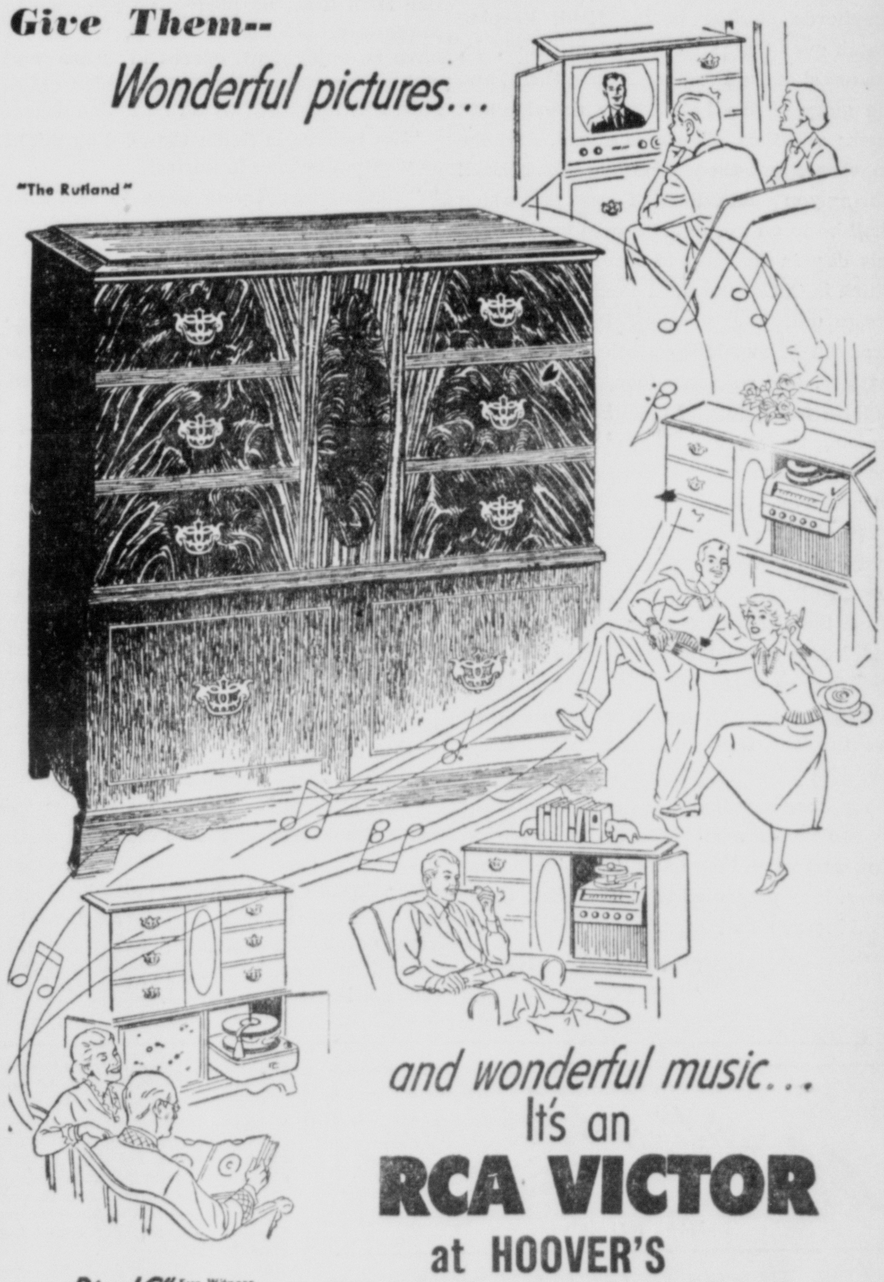
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AND IT CAME to pass in those days that there went out a decree from Cesar Augustus that all the world should be taxed. And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem (because he was of the house of David) to be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was that while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her first-born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them; Fear not, for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour; which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

Then Herod. . .called the wise men. .and sent them to Bethlehem, and said, go and search diligently for the young child . . . When they heard the king, they departed; and, lo, the star which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young child was. When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding joy. And when they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother and fell down and worshipped him; and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts: Gold, frankincense and myrrh.

From Luke and Matthew
King James Version

There Is A Santa Claus

Yes, Virginia

One December day in 1897, Virginia O'Hanlon wrote to the New York Sun:

"I am 8 years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, 'If you see it in The Sun, it's so.' Please tell me the truth—is there a Santa Claus?"

The answer to Virginia O'Hanlon's question, written in a moment of deep spiritual insight by Francis B. Church, editor of The Sun, stands even today as a testament reflecting two thousand years of faith. It is being reprinted here because it always will deserve to be read again.

"Yes, indeed!

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age—they do not believe except what they see—they think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible to their little minds.

"All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little.

"In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus.

"He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginia. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies!

"You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus—the most real things in the world are those neither children nor men can see.

"Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there—nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in the world.

"You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest men, or even the united strength of all the strongest men, that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside the curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond.

"Is it all real?—ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

"No Santa Claus! Thank God!—he lives, and he lives forever—a thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

LAFF-A-DAY



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"For my money there's nothin' like a little appetizer before dinner!"

DIET AND HEALTH

Congenital Disorder of the Hip

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

"IS my baby all right?" is an oft-repeated question, the first on every new mother's lips. Fortunately, in the vast majority of cases, the answer is easy because most of our children are well born in the sense that they come into the world whole and sound without any of the abnormal conditions known as congenital malformations.

Nonetheless, the possibility of some such condition does exist, and the careful doctor will examine the child as soon as possible after birth with this in mind. One such disorder which may be present at birth is known as congenital dislocation of the hip or hips.

Proper Treatment

Early discovery and proper treatment bring good results, but chances for complete cure diminish rapidly with the passage of time, particularly if the defect goes unnoticed until the child is beginning to walk. When such a condition is suspected, the diagnosis can be confirmed by X-ray examination.

Signs that the disorder may be present include wasting and shortening of the thigh muscles; also there may be some lack of symmetry in the skin folds on the inner side of the thighs. Of course, feeling the tissue in the area may reveal that the head of the large thigh bone is not in the socket of the hip.

One test is carried out by moving one leg across the thigh of the opposite leg and feeling the tissues of the buttock. As the leg is moved, the head of the femur, which is the large bone in the thigh, can be clearly felt if the joint is dislocated. As soon as the child begins to walk, the disorder is more easily noted, since the child walks with the feet pointed outward and on the toes of the foot on the affected side. Sometimes the child has a waddling gait, with abnormal forward bending of the lower part of the spine.

Under One Year

If the child is under one year of age, the dislocation can be corrected by manipulation after the child has been put to sleep with an anesthetic. When the bone has been put back in place, a cast or splint is applied. X-rays are taken at frequent intervals to make sure the bones remain in place.

If treatment is not carried out until the child is two years old, it may not be possible to get the joint back in place and, even if it is put back, it may slip out again. In these instances, operation is often required.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

A Reader: I have bad scars left after acne. Is there any product which will bleach them?

Answer: There is no bleach which will get rid of the scars left by acne. However, there are various surgical methods of treatment which may be of help. Sandpapering has been suggested. A skin specialist should be consulted about this matter.

Looking Back In Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Orley Judy of Saltcreek Township was elected a director of Pickaway Dairy Cooperative for a term of three years.

R. G. Colville retired as treasurer of Pickaway County Agricultural Society after holding the office 13 years.

Mrs. C. E. Webb, executive secretary of Pickaway County Tuberculosis Society announced a lag in Christmas seal drive.

TEN YEARS AGO

E. A. Cayce, new Ralston-Purina Mill Manager, announced a 40 percent business increase during 1940.

Miss Ruth Stout spoke on Christmas customs at Christmas Twilight tea given by Circleville Girl Scouts in Memorial Hall.

Mrs. Harry Kern entertained Ladies Lutheran Society of Christ Church in her home in Jackson Township.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Joseph Noecker and James Stout went to Columbus to drive two Dodge coaches back to Circleville.

Mrs. C. E. Meyers of Stoutsville, leader of Girls Guild of Stoutsville Reform Church, presented a Christmas program.

Mrs. Max Friedman spent the day in Columbus.

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ONE MAN'S OPINION

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We hear Santa Claus had to return only one letter this year. Smoke was coming from under the flap and he sent it back to washington.

LOOK OUT for LIZA

By FAITH BALDWIN



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CHAPTER FIFTY-FOUR

ON MONDAY Michael called Liza and asked, "Do I have to have a relapse in order to see you?"

"No. Come to dinner, if you are up to it . . . or stay there, I'll come and cook for you."

"Not that!"

"Scared?"

"Stiff. See you tonight at your place."

He took a cab uptown. A mild cocktail awaited him, and dinner. He said, when Norden had left the room, "After you went to Wisconsin, I fell apart. In my weakened condition I could have caught anything."

"So?"

"So I'm in love with you, Liza."

She shook her head. She said, exercising self-discipline, "That's not good enough."

"All right . . . all right."

He was cross, he was frightened, he was uncertain. Still, she had come . . . But he had no proof she'd come because he was ill, he couldn't believe Patty, you had to make allowance for starry-eyed girls, romantically involved—if you could picture Hiram and romance.

After dinner, in the living room, "I'm not just in love with you, Liza. I love you," he said.

"That's good," she said sighing, "because I love you, Michael." She put herself swiftly into his arms and he kissed her. She kissed him in return, and he said, "I don't feel exactly like running the mile yet, except in my heart."

"Lie down here, I'll sit beside you. Dearest Michael, I didn't plan this. I didn't mean to fall in love, I did not mean to love so soon, and certainly not you."

"You could engineer practically anything," he said, "yet forgot the human equation. That is to say, yourself. Now what do we do?"

"I thought we might get married. Say next spring."

"If you insist. But, darling, why not at once?"

"No. I must get used to you."

"We have our lives for that. Liza, suppose I take a fancy to whip off to some god-forsaken place?"

"I never wanted the ranch-type house and the deep freeze," she said, "unless someone else wanted it too. You don't. Not now, nor for years. I am a good traveler. I can cook and sew, and I can make a home in a boxcar if nothing else is available. Also, I can use a gun and speak French. We'll get along."

"I was robbed," said Michael. He drew her close and kissed her. "Couldn't you make it New Year's?" he asked.

"We'll see, darling."

"You were happy with George," he said slowly. "Perhaps I cannot make you so happy."

"You will. We both have a great capacity for happiness."

"I believe you're right. Funny," he said, "I'm not jealous of George. Why is that?"

"Because, I think, you love me very much. Also, you loved him." She looked down at him, her black hair loosened and slipping from the coil at her neck, her face flushed. "And there is one thing you can give me," she said, "which George could not."

"Am I to ask what it is, Liza?"

"It is not what you perhaps believe, or hope, or would wish, Michael," she said gravely. "I can't be disloyal to what has been, even to please you, even to make you happy. No. My years with George were complete, except in one way. You can give me the knowledge that I am needed. He could not. He loved me, but he did not need me. You need me," she said, "whether you know it or not."

"I know it," said Michael. He put his big hands around her face and held it and looked at her. He said, "I envy no man. I am very fortunate."

She remembered, startled, "There'll have to be a trustees' meeting! Oh, Michael," she said, laughing and at peace, the peace that is also excitement and wonder, and deep, ardent tenderness, "you'll have to be there."

"My good Lord," said Michael, "I'm marrying money!"

"Do you mind?"

"I can bear it, for your sake."

And then he drew her down and said, "Be quiet, will you?" and kissed her again and they were silent.

Shortly before the New Year Mrs. Lennox's trustees sat in conference, as after the New Year there would be no further trusteeship. They conferred in Hiram Mason's office and talked, their business concluded. Each thought of Liza. Hiram thought, Poor Lennox, he will have his hands full. For Marcia was a most satisfactory wife. He called her Marcia, even in his thoughts. And Fleming thought, Lucky Michael, and then smiled, for was he not fortunate as well? No one knew yet, except Michael and Liza and the girls. But after the first of the year Dr. Fleming would hand his practice over to a younger man and retire to New England, comfortable, contented, and companioned. He spoke, still smiling. He said, "Before George Lennox died, he wrote me. He said, 'If anything should happen to me, look out for Liza.'"

"He wrote me also," said Hiram, "and in similar terms."

"His letter to me followed me halfway round the world," Michael said.

"Well," said Fleming, "we did look out for her, didn't we?"

"That all depends upon what he meant," said Michael. He rose, looked down from his great height, and smiled. He added, "I didn't. But I shall!" and went out laughing, a happy man, one who had found his love and who, having had his way, was to be married from Abby's house on New Year's Day.

Liza waited for him in a small restaurant near by. She asked, as he came toward her table, "Was it a good meeting?"

"Hail and farewell. This time next week we'll be loaded, we'll have money to burn; and to give where it's needed. And can start around the world, for the *Planet*, as soon as the book's out. I'll write another; I'll write six."

"Six books? Then I'll have six children. One for every book."

He was aghast. "Liza! You can't drag six children . . ."

"I can," she said serenely.

He ordered a drink. At the moment he needed it. He rarely did now. He wouldn't put it past her; he wouldn't put anything past her. And he loved her, and loved her, and loved her.

He raised his glass. "Here's to Liza," said Michael. "Look out for her . . . always!"

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And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them; Fear not, for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour; which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

Then Herod. . .called the wise men. .and sent them to Bethlehem, and said, go and search diligently for the young child . . . When they heard the king, they departed; and, lo, the star which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young child was. When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding joy. And when they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother and fell down and worshipped him; and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts: Gold, frankincense and myrrh.

From Luke and Matthew
King James Version

There Is A Santa Claus

Yes, Virginia

One December day in 1897, Virginia O'Hanlon wrote to the New York Sun:

"I am 8 years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, 'If you see it in The Sun, it's so.' Please tell me the truth—is there a Santa Claus?"

The answer to Virginia O'Hanlon's question, written in a moment of deep spiritual insight by Francis B. Church, editor of The Sun, stands even today as a testament reflecting two thousand years of faith. It is being reprinted here because it always will deserve to be read again.

"Yes, indeed!

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age—they do not believe except what they see—they think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible to their little minds.

"All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little.

"In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus.

"He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginia. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies!

"You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus—the most real things in the world are those neither children nor men can see.

"Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there—nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in the world.

"You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest men, or even the united strength of all the strongest men, that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside the curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond.

"Is it all real?—ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

"No Santa Claus! Thank God!—he lives, and he lives forever—a thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

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"For my money there's nothin' like a little appetizer before dinner!"

DIET AND HEALTH

Congenital Disorder of the Hip

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

"IS my baby all right?" is an oft-repeated question, the first on every new mother's lips. Fortunately, in the vast majority of cases, the answer is easy because most of our children are well born in the sense that they come into the world whole and sound without any of the abnormal conditions known as congenital malformations.

Nonetheless, the possibility of some such condition does exist, and the careful doctor will examine the child as soon as possible after birth with this in mind. One such disorder which may be present at birth is known as congenital dislocation of the hip or hips.

Proper Treatment

Early discovery and proper treatment bring good results, but chances for complete cure diminish rapidly with the passage of time, particularly if the defect goes unnoticed until the child is beginning to walk. When such a condition is suspected, the diagnosis can be confirmed by X-ray examination.

Signs that the disorder may be present include wasting and shortening of the thigh muscles; also there may be some lack of symmetry in the skin folds on the inner side of the thighs. Of course, feeling the tissue in the area may reveal that the head of the large thigh bone is not in the socket of the hip.

One test is carried out by moving one leg across the thigh of the opposite leg and feeling the tissues of the buttock. As the leg is moved, the head of the femur, which is the large bone in the thigh, can be clearly felt if the joint is dislocated. As soon as the child begins to walk, the disorder is more easily noted, since the child walks with the feet pointed outward and on the toes of the foot on the affected side. Sometimes the child has a waddling gait, with abnormal forward bending of the lower part of the spine.

Under One Year

If the child is under one year of age, the dislocation can be corrected by manipulation after the child has been put to sleep with an anesthetic. When the bone has been put back in place, a cast or splint is applied. X-rays are taken at frequent intervals to make sure the bones remain in place.

If treatment is not carried out until the child is two years old, it may not be possible to get the joint back in place and, even if it is put back, it may slip out again. In these instances, operation is often required.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

A Reader: I have bad scars left after acne. Is there any product which will bleach them?

Answer: There is no bleach which will get rid of the scars left by acne. However, there are various surgical methods of treatment which may be of help. Sandpapering has been suggested. A skin specialist should be consulted about this matter.

Looking Back In Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Orley Judy of Saltcreek Township was elected a director of Pickaway Dairy Cooperative for a term of three years.

R. G. Colville retired as treasurer of Pickaway County Agricultural Society after holding the office 13 years.

Mrs. C. E. Webb, executive secretary of Pickaway County Tuberculosis Society announced a lag in Christmas seal drive.

TEN YEARS AGO

E. A. Cayce, new Ralston-Purina Mill Manager, announced a 40 percent business increase during 1940.

Miss Ruth Stout spoke on Christmas customs at Christmas Twilight tea given by Circleville Girl Scouts in Memorial Hall.

Mrs. Harry Kern entertained Ladies Lutheran Society of Christ Church in her home in Jackson Township.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Joseph Noecker and James Stout went to Columbus to drive two Dodge coaches back to Circleville.

Mrs. C. E. Meyers of Stoutsville, leader of Girls Guild of Stoutsville Reform Church, presented a Christmas program.

Mrs. Max Friedman spent the day in Columbus.

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ONE MAN'S OPINION

If all the customers who crowd the stores Friday and Saturday crowd the churches Sunday and Monday, Christmas will be an unusual success.

Shopping is tough on the leg muscles, but, if you're going to sag Sunday and Christmas day, it should be on your knees.

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CHAPTER FIFTY-FOUR

ON MONDAY Michael called Liza and asked, "Do I have to have a relapse in order to see you?"

"No. Come to dinner, if you are up to it...or stay there, I'll come and cook for you."

"Not that!"

"Scared?"

"Stiff. See you tonight at your place."

He took a cab uptown. A mild cocktail awaited him, and dinner. He said, when Norden had left the room, "After you went to Wisconsin, I fell apart. In my weakened candition I could have caught anything."

"So?"

"So I'm in love with you, Liza." She shook her head. She said, exercising self-discipline, "That's not good enough."

"All right...all right."

He was cross, he was frightened, he was uncertain. Still, she had come...But he had no proof she'd come because he was ill, he couldn't believe Patty, you had to make allowance for starry-eyed girls, romantically involved—if you could picture Hiram and romance.

After dinner, in the living room, "I'm not just in love with you, Liza. I love you," he said.

"That's good," she said sighing, "because I love you, Michael." She put herself swiftly into his arms and he kissed her. She kissed him in return, and he said, "I don't feel exactly like running the mile yet, except in my heart."

"Lie down here, I'll sit beside you. Dearest Michael, I didn't plan this. I didn't mean to fall in love, I did not mean to love so soon, and certainly not you."

"You could engineer practically anything," he said, "yet forgot the human equation. That is to say, yourself. Now what do we do?"

"I thought we might get married. Say next spring."

"If you insist. But, darling, why not at once?"

"No. I must get used to you."

"We have our lives for that. Liza, suppose I take a fancy to whip off to some god-forsaken place?"

"I never wanted the ranch-type house and the deep freeze," she said, "unless someone else wanted it too. You don't. Not now, nor for years. I am a good traveler. I can cook and sew, and I can make a home in a boxcar if nothing else is available. Also, I can use a gun and speak French. We'll get along."

"I was robbed," said Michael. He drew her close and kissed her. "Couldn't you make it New Year's?" he asked.

"We'll see, darling."

"You were happy with George," he said slowly. "Perhaps I cannot make you so happy."

"You will. We both have a great capacity for happiness."

"I believe you're right. Funny," he said, "I'm not jealous of George. Why is that?"

"Because, I think, you love me very much. Also, you loved him." She looked down at him, her black hair loosened and slipping from the coil at her neck, her face flushed. "And there is one thing you can give me," she said, "which George could not."

"Am I to ask what it is, Liza?"

"It is not what you perhaps believe, or hope, or would wish, Michael," she said gravely. "I can't be disloyal to what has been, even to please you, even to make you happy. No. My years with George were complete, except in one way. You can give me the knowledge that I am needed. He could not. He loved me, but he did not need me. You need me," she said, "whether you know it or not."

"I know it," said Michael. He put his big hands around her face and held it and looked at her. He said, "I envy no man. I am very fortunate."

She remembered, startled, "There'll have to be a trustees' meeting! Oh, Michael," she said, laughing and at peace, the peace that is also excitement and wonder, and deep, ardent tenderness, "you'll have to be there."

"My good Lord," said Michael, "I'm marrying money!"

"Do you mind?"

"I can bear it, for your sake."

And then he drew her down and said, "Be quiet, will you?" and kissed her again and they were silent.

Shortly before the New Year Mrs. Lennox's trustees sat in conference, as after the New Year there would be no further trusteeship. They conferred in Hiram Mason's office and talked, their business concluded. Each thought of Liza. Hiram thought, Poor Lennox, he will have his hands full. For Marcia was a most satisfactory wife. He called her Marcia, even in his thoughts. And Fleming thought, Lucky Michael, and then smiled, for was he not fortunate as well? No one knew yet, except Michael and Liza and the girls. But after the first of the year Dr. Fleming would hand his practice over to a younger man and retire to New England, comfortable, contented, and companioned. He spoke, still smiling. He said, "Before George Lennox died, he wrote me. He said, 'If anything should happen to me, look out for Liza.'"

"He wrote me also," said Hiram, "and in similar terms."

"His letter to me followed me halfway round the world," Michael said.

"Well," said Fleming, "we did look out for her, didn't we?"

"That all depends upon what he meant," said Michael. He rose, looked down from his great height, and smiled. He added, "I didn't. But I shall!" and went out laughing, a happy man, one who had found his love and who, having had his way, was to be married from Abby's house on New Year's Day.

Liza waited for him in a small restaurant near by. She asked, as he came toward her table, "Was it a good meeting?"

"Hail and farewell. This time next week we'll be loaded, we'll have money to burn; and to give where it's needed. And can start around the world, for the *Planet*, as soon as the book's out. I'll write another; I'll write six."

"Six books? Then I'll have six children. One for every book."

He was aghast. "Liza! You can't drag six children..."

"I can," she said serenely.

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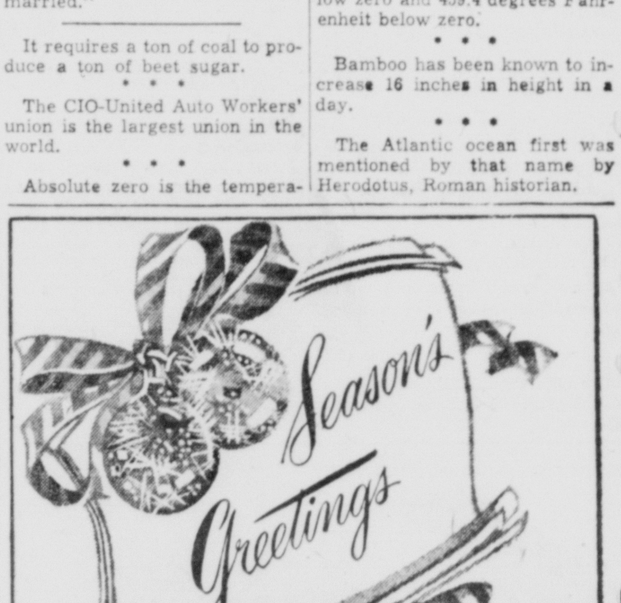
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Fun And Work Combined By Local Girl Scouts During Christmastime

Many Gift Projects Noted

Girl Scouts of Circleville are having all sorts of holiday fun. Mixed with the fun are service projects such as preparing baskets for needy families, making tray favors for a hospital, providing table decorations for a rest home, preparing treats for neighborhood shutins.

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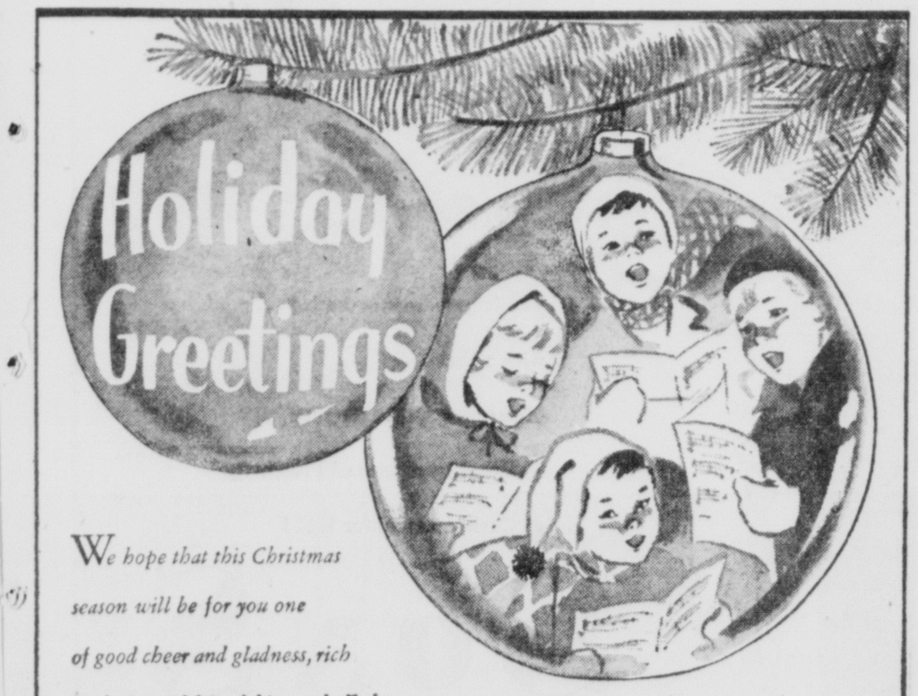
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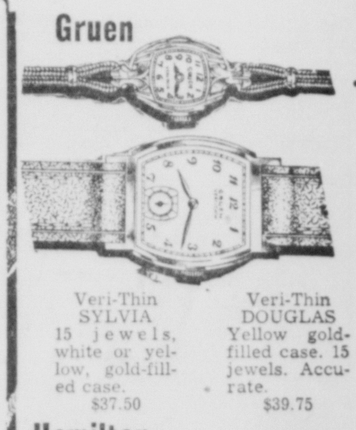


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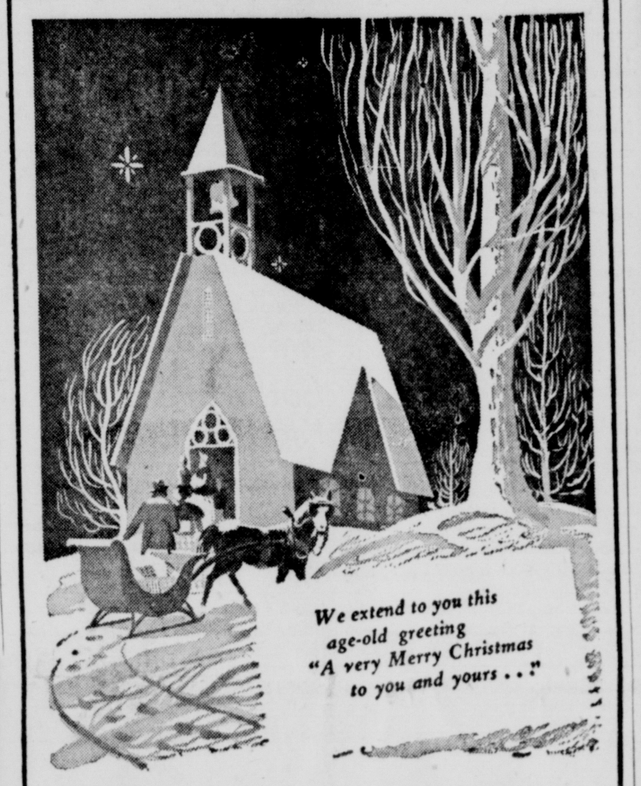
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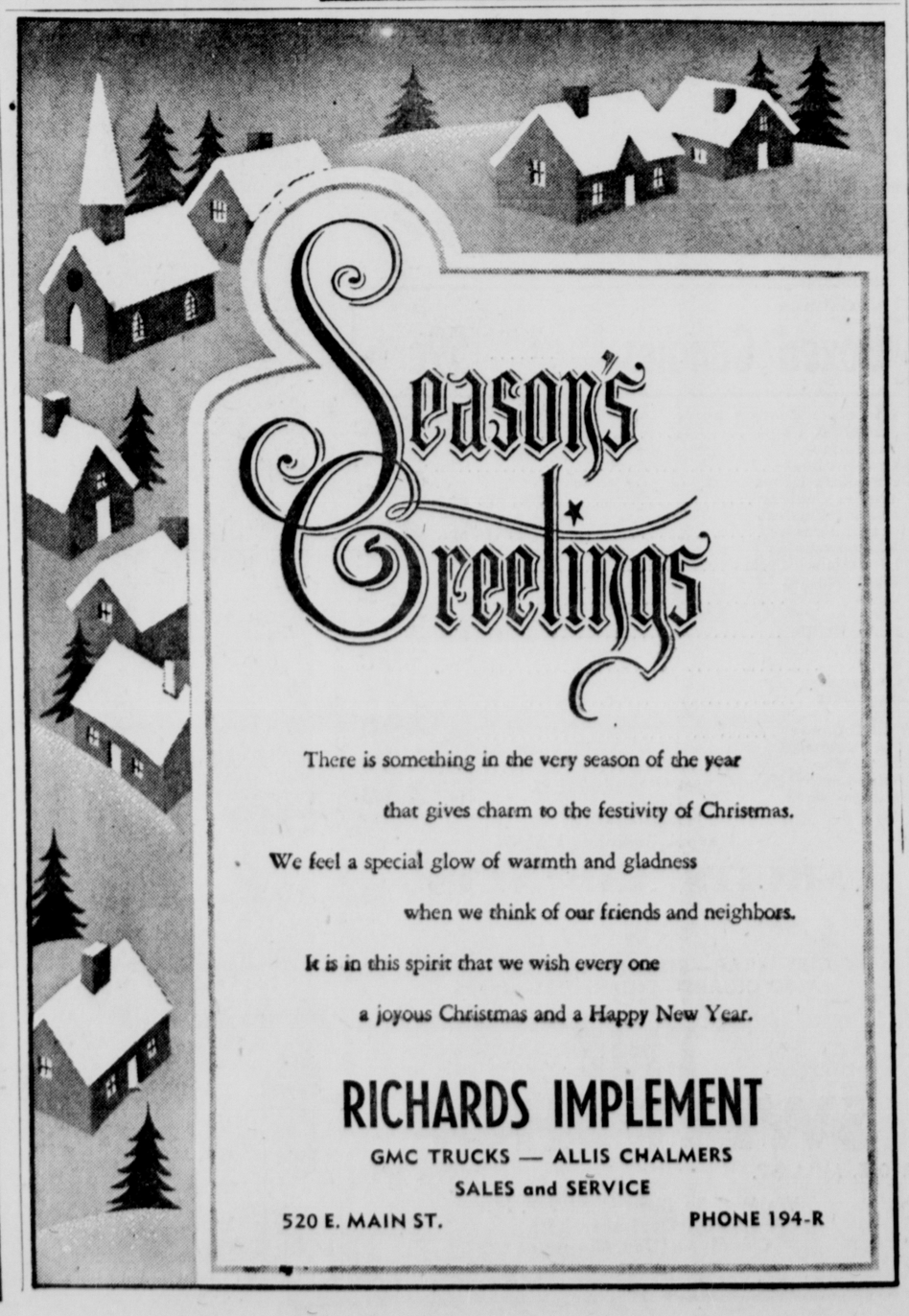


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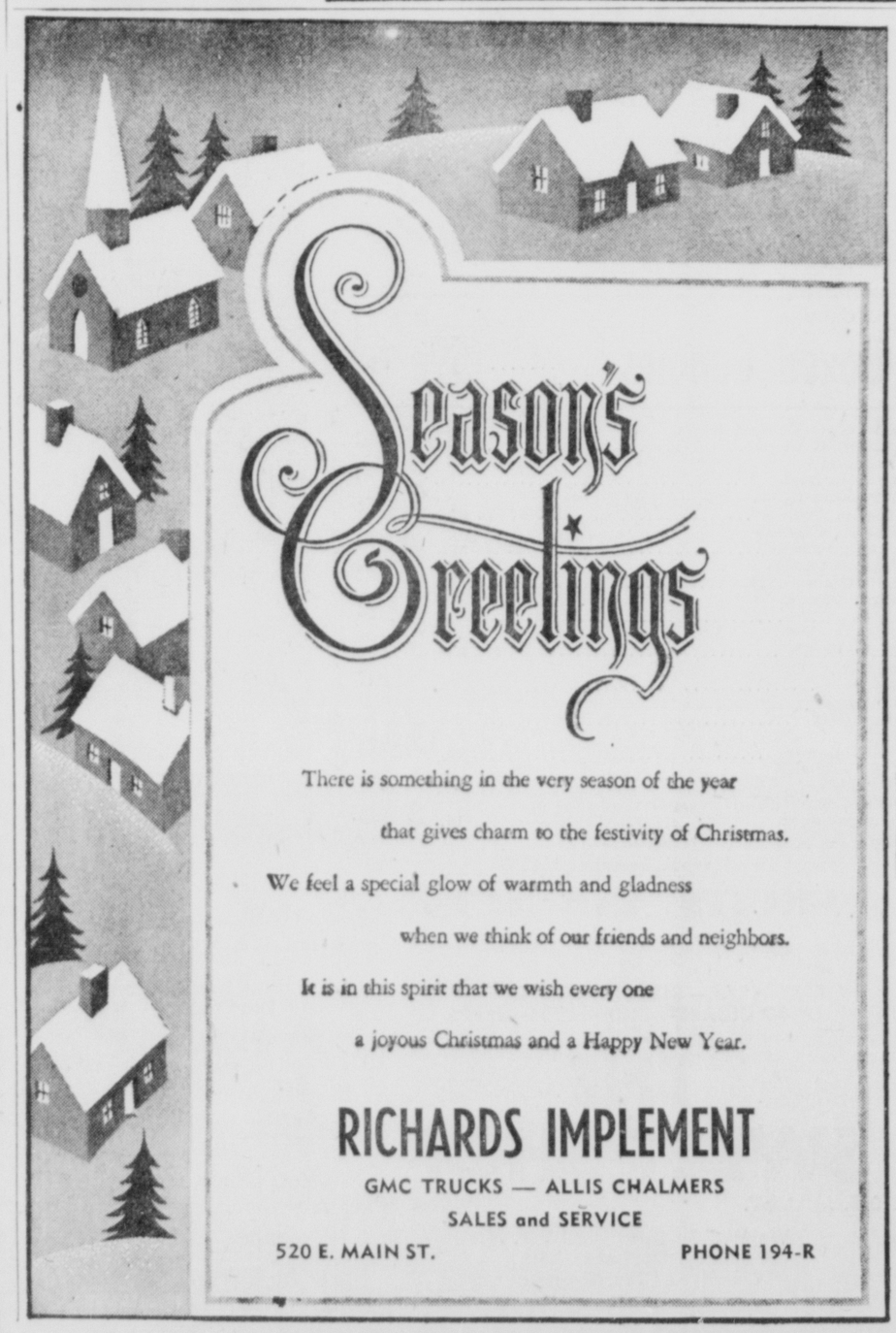
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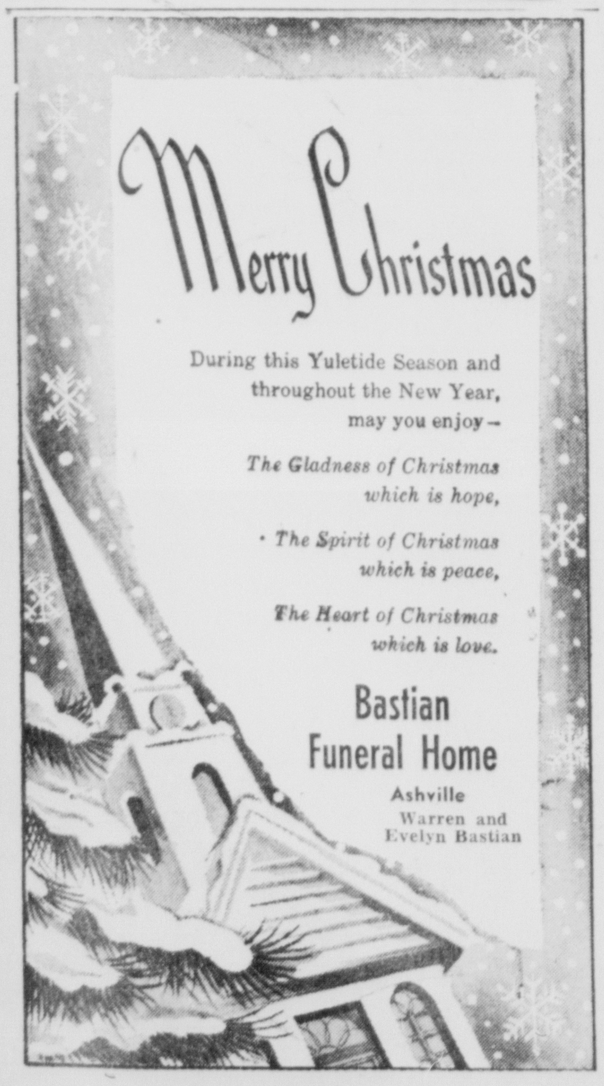
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The Saviour Is Born---Christmas

ANGEL BRINGS GOOD TIDINGS TO SHEPHERDS

Scripture—Luke 2:1-20; Philippians 4:4-7.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL

CHRISTMAS is here again. We read and tell once more the story of our Saviour's birth and, of the shepherds who were told the good news by an angel; of the Star in the East bringing the Wise Men to worship. We linger longest on the angel's message of "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men," and wonder when this will come about.

For centuries men have dreamed of peace, and many have worked for it, and prayed for it, but there is no peace today in our sadly troubled world. Temporarily, at least, this Christmas message brings us new hope.

When Caesar Augustus decreed a tax on everyone, each man had to register in his native city. Therefore a modest Narazene carpenter, Joseph, took his affianced wife with him to Bethlehem, because that was his city, as he "was of the house and lineage of David," and Bethlehem was David's city. It was prophesied too, that the new King of Israel would be born in that city.

We all know the story by heart, but we love the repetition. Once more we read how when the two came to Bethlehem, to the courtyard of the inn, they found no lodging there.

They were humble folk, and the inn was crowded. So, they were quartered in a stable, which might have been a limestone cave or grotto, often used then to house livestock.

Here the Christ was born, and Mary, the gentle mother, wrapped Him in swaddling clothes and laid Him tenderly in a manger.

"And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field, and keeping watch by night over their flock.

"And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid."

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Filled with joy and hope, the shepherds left their flocks and went to Bethlehem, and there they found Mary and Joseph and the Babe, as the angel had said, and they worshiped Him.

On their way back to their flocks, the shepherds told everyone they met about what they had seen and heard concerning the Child, and everyone wondered what it all meant.

But Mary "kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart," while the shepherds returned, praising God for the things they had seen and heard.

In spite of all the world's troubles, Christmas is a joyous occasion. It unites family, and if that is not possible for some, at least, happy messages fly to all the corners of the earth.

There are many who never hear from one another except in this season of the year. Christmas messages reach them and friendships are renewed.

It is a joyous time. The angel's message was "Fear not," and fear seems to slip away from us, and hope for the future takes its place.

St. Paul, in his letter to the Philippians, told them to "Rejoice in the Lord alway: and again I say, Rejoice.

"Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand.

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—Luke 2:10-11

Churches

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South Bloomfield — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Shadeville—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 7:30 p. m.

Evangelical United Brethren Church
Ashville-Scioto Chapel
J. D. Hopper, Pastor

Ashville — Worship service, 9:15 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. Youth Fellowship, 7 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Scioto Chapel—Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

New Holland Methodist Church
Rev. William McGarity, Pastor

Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p. m.

Hallsville EUB Charge
E. B. White, Pastor

Colerain—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8.

Hallsville — Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Evening Service at 8 p. m. Prayer Service 8, Wednesday.

Stoutsville Lutheran Charge

Trinity Lutheran Stoutsville: worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

St Jacob's Lutheran, Tarlton Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Pickaway EUB Charge
Rev. C. R. Butterbaugh, Pastor

Morris—Worship service, 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Christmas program at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Dresbach — Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

Pontius—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer service, 10:45 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Ringgold—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer service, 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p. m.; worship service, 8:15 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Christmas program at 7:45 p. m. Friday.

Williamsport Methodist Church
Rev. J. H. Sudlow, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Adelphi Methodist Charge
Rev. Clyde Webster, Pastor

Hallsville — Sunday school, 10:20 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

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Laurelville — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Haynes — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Emmett Chapel-Mt. Pleasant Methodist Charge
Rev. Carl Wetherell, Pastor

Mt. Pleasant—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Springbank—Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Emmett Chapel — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.

Hopetown — Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

Kingston Methodist Charge
Rev. Charles B. Elkjer, Pastor

Kingston—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Crouse Chapel—Worship service, 9:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:45 a. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Bethel—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Salem — Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Worship service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Tarlton Methodist Charge
Rev. Richard C. McDowell, Pastor

Tarlton—Worship services, 9:30 a. m.

Drinkle—Worship services, 11 a. m.

Oakland—Worship services, 8 p. m.

Derby Methodist Charge
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Five Points—Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

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Pleasant View—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

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Ashville-Lockbourne Lutheran Parish
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Ashville — First English church, Services 9:15 a. m.

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Church Briefs

Two special Christmas services are to be presented Friday and Saturday by the Sunday schools of the Ashville Methodist charge. Hedges Chapel Sunday school is to present its program at 8 p. m. Friday, while Ashville Sunday school will have a program at 8 p. m. Saturday.

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A Sunday school Christmas program is to be given at 10:30 a. m. Sunday in Hopetown Methodist church.

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Annual Christmas program of the Pleasant View EUB church will be presented at 7:30 p. m. Friday. The program will be directed by Mrs. Dorothy Valentine and Marie Poling.

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Christmas program for Stoutsville EUB church will be presented at 9:30 a. m. Sunday. Directors will be Mrs. A. W. Bosworth, Mrs. Fregman Marshall, Mrs. Eugene Pifer and Rose Leist.

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St. Paul EUB church Christmas program will be held during worship service at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, directed by Mrs. Leona DeLong and Mrs. Inez Leist.

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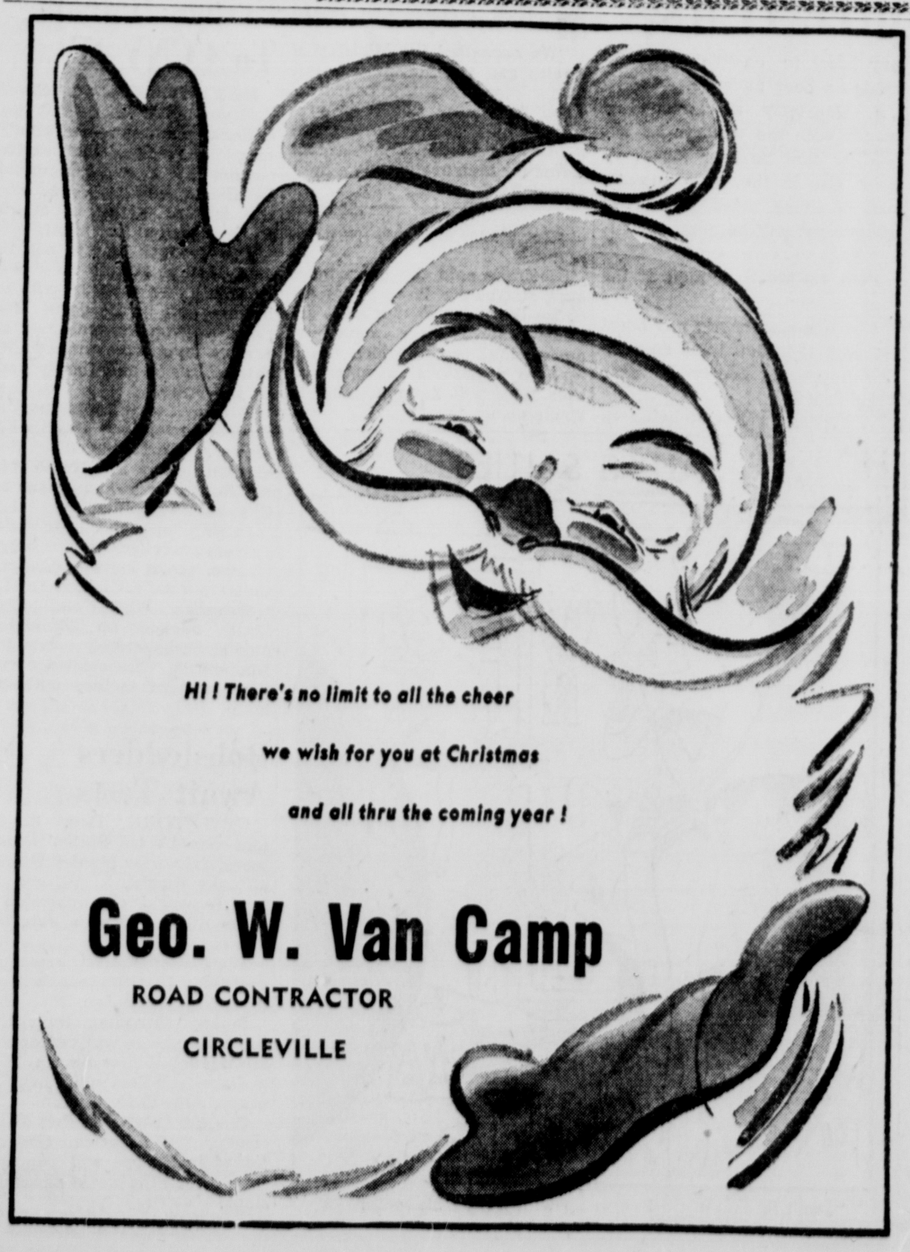
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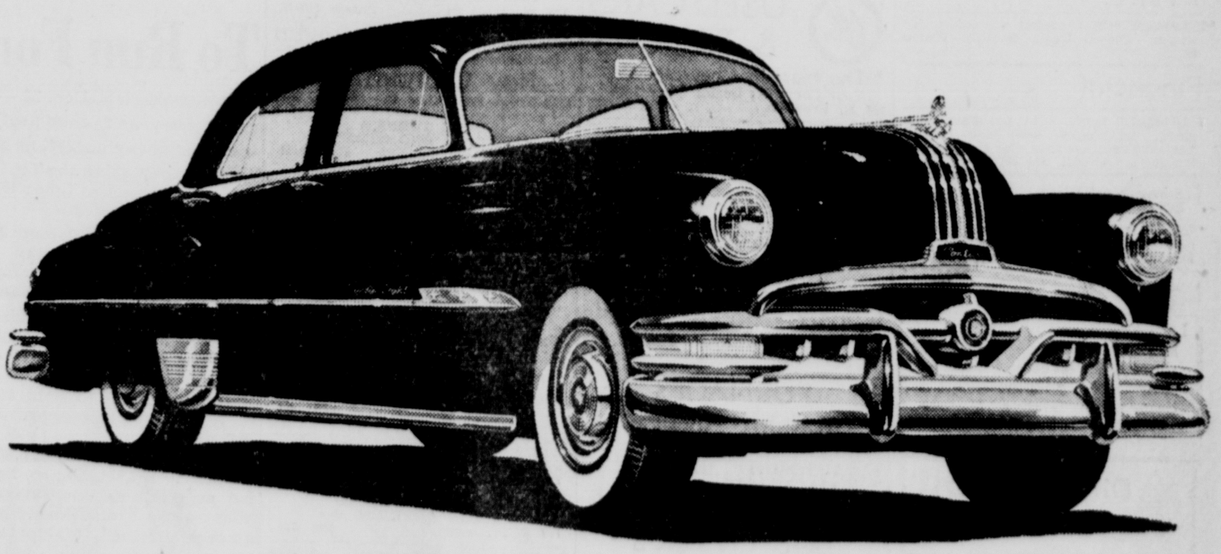


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The Saviour Is Born---Christmas

ANGEL BRINGS GOOD TIDINGS TO SHEPHERDS

Scripture—Luke 2:1-20; Philippians 4:4-7.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL

CHRISTMAS is here again. We read and tell once more the story of our Saviour's birth and, of the shepherds who were told the good news by an angel; of the Star in the East bringing the Wise Men to worship. We linger longest on the angel's message of "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men," and wonder when this will come about.

For centuries men have dreamed of peace, and many have worked for it, and prayed for it, but there is no peace today in our sadly troubled world. Temporarily, at least, this Christmas message brings us new hope.

When Caesar Augustus decreed a tax on everyone, each man had to register in his native city. Therefore a modest Narazene carpenter, Joseph, took his affianced wife with him to Bethlehem, because that was his city, as he "was of the house and lineage of David," and Bethlehem was David's city. It was prophesied too, that the new King of Israel would be born in that city.

We all know the story by heart, but we love the repetition. Once more we read how when the two came to Bethlehem, to the courtyard of the inn, they found no lodging there.

They were humble folk, and the inn was crowded. So, they were quartered in a stable, which might have been a limestone cave or grotto, often used then to house livestock.

Here the Christ was born, and Mary, the gentle mother, wrapped Him in swaddling clothes and laid Him tenderly in a manger.

"And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field, and keeping watch by night over their flock.

"And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid."

But the angel said, "Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all the people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

The angel told them they would find the Babe wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger.

"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill toward men."

Filled with joy and hope, the shepherds left their flocks and went to Bethlehem, and there they found Mary and Joseph and the Babe, as the angel had said, and they worshiped Him.

On their way back to their flocks, the shepherds told everyone they met about what they had seen and heard concerning the Child, and everyone wondered what it all meant.

But Mary "kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart," while the shepherds returned, praising God for the things they had seen and heard.

In spite of all the world's troubles, Christmas is a joyous occasion. It unites family, and if that is not possible for some, at least, happy messages fly to all the corners of the earth.

There are many who never hear from one another except in this season of the year. Christmas messages reach them and friendships are renewed.

It is a joyous time. The angel's message was "Fear not," and fear seems to slip away from us, and hope for the future takes its place.

St. Paul, in his letter to the Philippians, told them to "Rejoice in the Lord alway: and again I say, Rejoice.

"Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand.

"Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.

"And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ." Amen.

MEMORY VERSE

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—Luke 2:10-11

Churches

South Bloomfield Methodist Charge
Rev. Daley M. Sapp, Pastor

South Bloomfield — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Shadeville—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 7:30 p. m.

Evangelical United Brethren Church
Ashville-Scioto Chapel
J. D. Hopper, Pastor

Ashville — Worship service, 9:15 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. Youth Fellowship, 7 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Scioto Chapel—Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

New Holland Methodist Church
Rev. William McGarity, Pastor

Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p. m.

Hallsville EUB Charge
E. B. White, Pastor

Colerain—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8.

Hallsville — Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Evening Service at 8 p. m. Prayer Service 8, Wednesday.

Stoutsville Lutheran Charge

Trinity Lutheran Stoutsville: worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

St. Jacob's Lutheran, Tarlton: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Pickaway EUB Charge
Rev. C. R. Butterbaugh, Pastor

Morris—Worship service, 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Christmas program at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Dresbach — Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

Pontius—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer service, 10:45 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Ringgold—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer service, 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p. m.; worship service, 8:15 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Christmas program at 7:45 p. m. Friday.

Williamsport Methodist Church
Rev. J. H. Sudlow, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m.

Adelphi Methodist Charge
Rev. Clyde Webster, Pastor

Hallsville — Sunday school, 10:20 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

Adelphi — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.; Choir practice at 8 p. m. Tuesday. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday. MYF at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

Laurelville — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Haynes — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Emmett Chapel-Mt. Pleasant Methodist Charge
Rev. Carl Wetherell, Pastor

Mt. Pleasant—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Springbank—Sunday school, 10 a. m.

Emmett Chapel — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.

Hopetown — Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

Kingston Methodist Charge
Rev. Charles B. Elkjer, Pastor

Kingston—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Crouse Chapel—Worship service, 9:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:45 a. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Bethel—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Salem — Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Worship service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Tarlton Methodist Charge
Rev. Richard C. McDowell, Pastor

Tarlton—Worship services, 9:30 a. m.

Drinkle—Worship services, 11 a. m.

Oakland—Worship services, 8 p. m.

Derby Methodist Charge
Rev. J. A. Bretz, Pastor

Five Points—Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

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Pherson—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.

Greenland—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Stoutsville EUB Charge
Rev. H. Glenn Crabtree, Pastor

Pleasant View—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

St. John's — Worship service, 9:15 a. m. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

St. Paul's — Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service 10:30 a. m.; prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Ashville-Lockbourne Lutheran Parish
Rev. C. A. Holmquist, Pastor

Ashville — First English church, Services 9:15 a. m.

Lockbourne — St. Matthew church. Services 11 a. m.

Ashville Methodist Charge
Rev. A. B. Albertson, Pastor

Ashville—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.

Hedges Chapel — Sunday school 10:30 a. m.; worship service, 9:30 a. m.

Williamsport Christian Church
Rev. Fred Immelt, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship service, 10:30 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:45 p. m. Friday.

Church Briefs

Two special Christmas services are to be presented Friday and Saturday by the Sunday schools of the Ashville Methodist charge. Hedges Chapel Sunday school is to present its program at 8 p. m. Friday, while Ashville Sunday school will have a program at 8 p. m. Saturday.

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A Sunday school Christmas program is to be given at 10:30 a. m. Sunday in Hopetown Methodist church.

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Annual Christmas program of the Pleasant View EUB church will be presented at 7:30 p. m. Friday. The program will be directed by Mrs. Dorothy Valentine and Marie Poling.

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Christmas program for Stoutsville EUB church will be presented at 9:30 a. m. Sunday. Directors will be Mrs. A. W. Bosworth, Mrs. Freeman Marshall, Mrs. Eugene Pifer and Rose Leist.

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St. Paul EUB church Christmas program will be held during worship service at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, directed by Mrs. Leona DeLong and Mrs. Inez Leist.

Nine Aircraft Hunt For Tug

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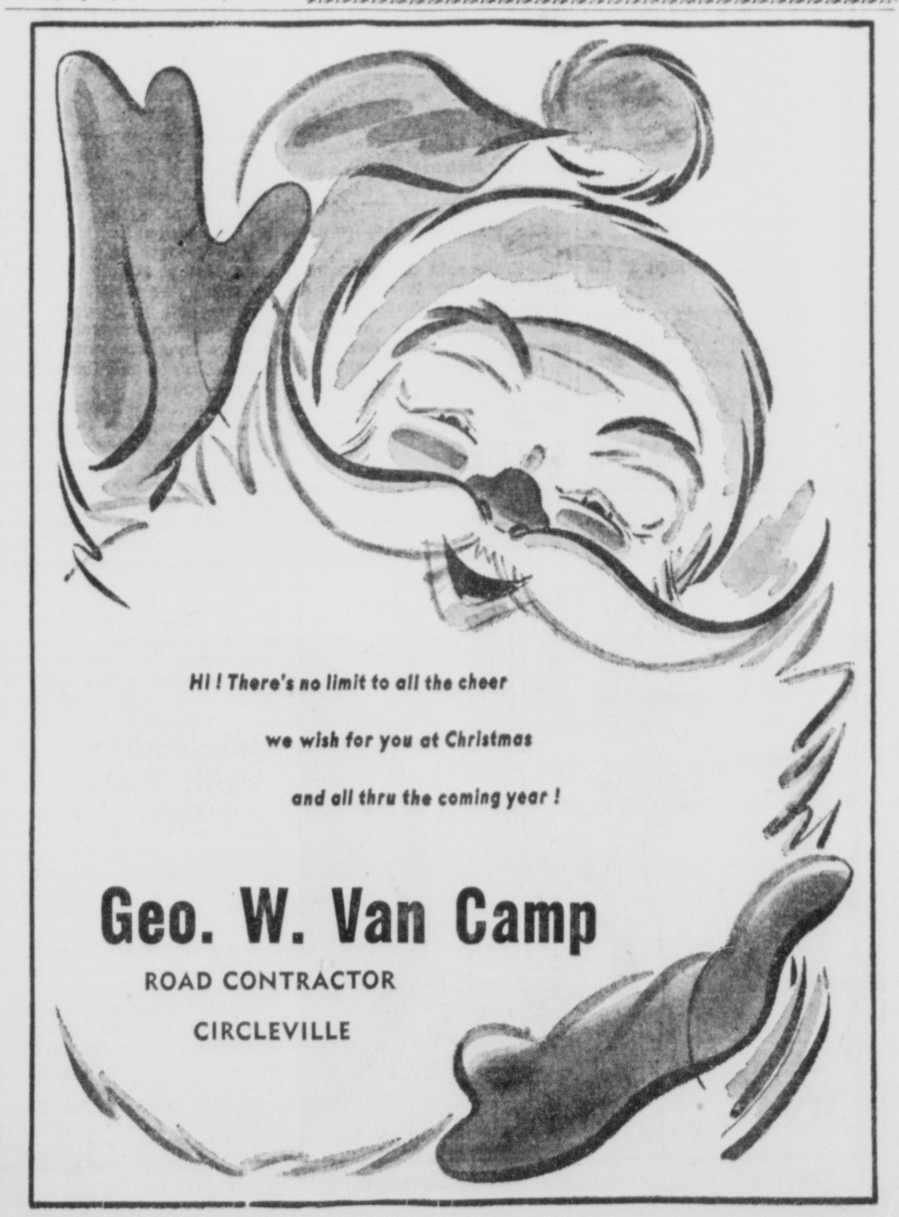
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By order of the County Comissioners of Pickaway County, Ohio.
JOHN B. KELLER
WILLIAM J. GOODE
LYMAN E. PENN
Attest: FRED L. TIPTON,
Clerk and County Auditor
Dec. 15, 22.

The word "housewife" has been in the English language since early times. It appears in literature of 1225 in the form of "husewif."

Christmas SHOPPING

for Him--Her--Sister--Brother--Dad and Mother

LAST MINUTE shoppers for Him will find helpful suggestions in this list from Mason Furniture — A comfortable lounging chair with ottoman, smokers, magazine racks, hassocks, small radios, electric heaters, superfoam pillows, occasional chairs, reading lamps etc.

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FOR THE LAST minute shoppers—The different Christmas Cards that you have been wanting — they are at Mi-Lady's Beauty and Gift Shop. In fact these are really unusual cards priced from 5c to $1 each and in boxed assortments at 29c to $1 per box. If you want a Christmas card that will be remembered get these unusual ones.

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SANTA SUGGESTS that you give Mattel Music Makers for a Merry Christmas. A Cowboy Ge-Tar, two toys in one. You can play this real-like guitar or turn the crank and it will play catchy little tunes for you. $1.39; A Dancing Dude, for $1.98; a Hurdy-Gurdy with a monkey for $1.98; Grang Playerpiano for $3.98 or a Jack-in-the Music Box for $1.98 at Harpster and Yost.

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FOR THE OUTDOOR man on your list—a Cresco "Husky." You'll keep comfortably warm with this new lustrous Satin Twill sportswear. Genuine Lambskin collar, quilted Warm-n-lite lining, snugknit bottom, knit wristlets hidden inside the sleeves. $17.50 at Caddy Miller Hat Shop.

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FOR THAT unusual gift give Him Whitehall house signs or Weather Vanes — Sportsman flashlight, Sportsman hunting knife, Taylor thermometer, Indoor - outdoor thermometer, Berkley tie rack, Montague Fly Rod, True Temper casting rod, Pflueger casting reel, Nylon casting line, Streamliner tackle box, Phil-Rite Gas can, fitted picnic case, Thermos lunch kit, Thermos outing kit, Camp Ice Box, Vacuum bottle, some Famous Stanley tools, Lectro-Saw, utility drill, Sander-polisher kit — choose from stock at Harpster and Yost.

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A GIFT FOR the semi-invalid—a quart of Duffy's Tavern Rock 'n Rye—nutritional and the alcoholic content is practically nil, yet the flavor is pleasing. At Son's Grill — just $2.58.

HER GIFT THIS Christmas should come from Harpster and Yost and could be selected from this list—Fireplace ensemble, bathroom scale, door knocker, Bissell carpet sweeper, 3 way griddle, French fryer, open roaster, snack set, egg poacher, cooky press, percolator, Revere Ware, Dazey ice crusher, Dazey can opener, Dazey Juicer, Flint stainless steel kitchen aids, Cosco stools and tables, bread cabinet, step-on can, waster basket, covered dust pan, canister set, range set, Rubbermaid dish drainer, singing tea kettle, Presto pressure cooker, casserole etc.

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GIFT SUGGESTIONS for Him from L. M. Butch Co., Jewelers include—travel cases, key chains, Waldemar chains, tie chain sets, billfolds, cigarette lighters, cigarette cases, identification bracelets, signet rings, cameo rings, emblem rings, flexible watch bands, Lucien Lelong toilet water, belt buckle and tie chain set, Parker "51" and "21", Sheaffer pen sets.

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IF YOU ARE yet undecided just what you will give Her—here are some suggestions from the Mason Furniture Store—Samsonite luggage, Hamilton-Ross electric Sewing Machine, Mersman Tables, Thayer baby coach, high chair, strollers, Toddler, training seat, crib, play-pen, Nurre Mirrors, desks, secretaries, occasional chairs, superfoam pillows, lamps and many, many other gifts for the home.

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GIFTS FOR HER kitchen mean more leisure for Her. Get her a Dormeyer Fri-Well, the wonderful new automatic deep fyer, $27.50, or a Toastmaster, famous 2 slice automatic toaster $23 or an Osterett Kitchen Mixer, easy to use and easy to store, lightweight, especially handy for small kitchens $14.95 at Harpster and Yost.

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GET TOOL SETS for the young boy—priced from $2.19 to $3.49 at W. T. Grant Co.; small girls would like doll clothes for their dollies—rain capes with hoods, coats with matching bonnets—will fit any 16 inch doll. Both boys and girls would like boxed games priced from 15c to 29c Magic Action Circus, 50 acts for 29c.

A CHRISTMAS gift with the personal touch is a custom-made piece of furniture—Ward's Upholstery will make Children's rockers, foot-stools, boudoir chairs, chaise lounges, base rockers, tilt-back chairs with ottomans, studio couches—all made to your personal design and upholstered in the material and color you wish and that will harmonize with your decor. Just call 135 for information and estimate.

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GIVE THE LADY of the house a Manning-Bowman coffee percolator—8 cup capacity for $16.95 in a beautiful pattern or if she prefers a dripolator get a Westinghouse 8 cup automatic for $12.95 at Hoover Music Store.

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SPUN NYLON ARGYLE socks at Caddy Miller Hat Shop make ideal gifts for the men of the family—other nylons are priced as low as $1; tie guard and cuff link sets by Hickok are other welcome gifts, just $5 boxed.

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TREE LIGHTS and ornaments, if not ready now should be secured without delay—W. T. Grant Co., has a large assortment that you should see before you buy.

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LAST MINUTE gift suggestions for the baby from the L. M. Butch Co., Jewelers are — knife and fork sets, baby cups, rings, crosses, lockets, bracelets, silver rattles, baby spoons etc.

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SETTLEMENT IS DETAILED

New Railroad 'Peace Pact' To Run For Three Years

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 — The new three-year "peace pact" for the big railway operating brotherhoods may bring the first long period of unbroken labor the industry ever has seen.

Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman yesterday disclosed the agreement after a 24-hour bargaining session.

The settlement provides a package increase of 29 cents an hour for yard men and 10 cents an hour for road men plus automatic increases to both classes of workers when the cost of living rises.

The agreement, which still is subject to ratification by the union negotiating committees, applies to the brotherhoods of engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors—the men who actually operate the nation's far-flung railroad system.

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THE SETTLEMENT ends a railroad wage dispute which began 22 months ago and led to government seizure and Army operation of the carriers last August and a recent pre-Christmas strike which threatened to impede the defense effort.

Steelman said the details of a contract still have to be hammered out by the experts but that the top leaders on both sides signed a memorandum of agreement providing for the following terms:

For 120,000 yardmen of the four brotherhoods:

1. An increase of 23 cents an hour retroactive to last Oct. 1 and another two cents hourly beginning Jan. 1 to compensate for higher living costs.

2. A 40-hour work week, instead of the present 48, but this will be set aside at least until Jan. 1, 1952, and as long thereafter as the defense effort requires.

3. When the workers do go on the 40-hour week, they will receive another four cents an hour pay boost to complete the 29 cents an hour package.

4. Quarterly adjustment of wages with the workers to get another cent an hour for every point rise in the government's cost of living index. The first adjustment will be next April 1.

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FOR 180,000 road men of the four unions:—

1. A five-cent hourly pay boost retroactive to Oct. 1 and an additional five-cent hourly increase beginning Jan. 1.

2. The same cost of living escalator clause provided for yardmen.

Steelman said the agreement bars strikes for three years because the union cannot start another general wage movement during that period which would lead to a national dispute and thus they will have nothing to strike about.

British Medics Prescribe Beer

LONDON—Doctors will be allowed to prescribe beer for Britain's National Health patients, Charles Kerr, secretary of the South-East Metropolitan Board said:

"We consulted the Ministry of Health and the matter was left to our discretion. The board decided that beer could be prescribed by a doctor. Several patients at a Bexhill Convalescent Home for Men are getting a half-pint daily."

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"Don't let him in till I cover up with a little make-up!"

9TH TO DIE THIS YEAR

Probes Open After Death Of Boxer Sonny Boy West

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—Two separate investigations begin today into the death of Alfred "Sonny Boy" West whose attempt to earn "Christmas money" by fighting endec tragically when a jarring right drove him into unconsciousness with a fatal brain injury.

The Negro lightweight fighter became the third ring fatality in the United States in 1950.

West, a 21-year-old Washington, D. C., lightweight, died in St. Clare's hospital last night a little less than 24 hours after he was battered senseless in the seventh round of a bout in St. Nicholas Arena by Percy Bassett of Philadelphia.

Sonny Boy never regained consciousness. Death as attributed to "inter-cerebral hemorrhage resulting from cerebral concussion."

Chairman Eddie Eagan of the New York State Boxing Commission announced that he will conduct a "thorough investigation to see if everything was as it should be" regarding the bout.

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THE LEGAL BUREAU of the police department also said that, following procedure in other ring fatalities, "all parties concerned" will be called to the district attorney's office for statements.

West's death was the second for New York in the year and both of them resulted in fights in St. Nick's. Laverne Roach died last February following a knockout by Georgie Small. The other U. S. ring death occurred in California Dec. 7 when Johnny Lopez was killed.

Six other fighters were killed throughout the world this year, making a total of nine. In 1949 there were 16 ring fatalities.

Dr. James T. Daniels, neurologist, who performed two operations on West, said he believed the "major cause" of the fighter's injury appeared to be "the severe impact of his head striking the ring floor."

Under New York state regulations, ring padding must be at least an inch thick.

Deputy Commissioner Joe Alperin, who was in charge of the arena Wednesday night, had pronounced the ring up to specifications. Eagan and other boxing officials would not say whether they thought the thickness in the padding was adequate.

West began to sink rapidly after the two operations to remove clots on hi brain. From 3:10 p. m. up to the point he was pronounced dead at 7:59, the young Negro was kept alive by artificial respiration.

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HIS PARENTS, Mr. and Mrs. Frank West, were in the hospital. Mrs. West collapsed shortly after the couple arrived from Washington, and she was put to bed in the hospital.

West's father, wh told' newsmen about Sonny Boy's love for boxing and that he was a grand nephew of the late Jack Johnson, revealed that he saw his boy fatally injured.

"I was watching it on television at home," he said.

West's wife Jessie, who expects a second child soon, remained at home in Washington with their one-year-old daughter, Sharon.

It was to buy Christmas gifts for his family that West sought the fight with Bassett. He received only $220 as his share of the gate as the fight drew only 89$ spectators. But his television share was $1,000.

West, a veteran of 56 fights, whose only other KO had come at the hands of Lightweight King Ike Williams, was a 7-5 favorite over the 20-year-old Bassett. Sonny Boy had won 46, lost nine and drew one. His 1950 record was 12-3 and he is rated as the sixth ranking lightweight in the forthcoming Ring Record Book.

'Cats Outlast Scioto To Win 43-42 Thriller

Jackson's "unperdictable" Wildcat basketball team staged a last quarter rally Thursday night at Scioto to squeeze the Buffalos out by a 43-42 decision.

Both teams took turns at leading during the first three periods before the 'Cats showered 14 points into the hoop in the final frame for the win.

Scioto opened the match with a 13-9 advantage, although the Jackson quintet held a 21-18 margin at the half. The Buffalos again assumed the lead at the three-quarter mark, only to fall behind in the final few seconds of play.

Jackson's Bob Hoover bucketed a total of 20 points in the contest to pace his winning 'Cat team, while Scioto's Sam Adkins was high man for the Buffalos with 15 points.

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THE JACKSON victory came as a result of its ability at the charity-toss line. Scioto outscored the 'Cats from the field by two baskets, while the Jackson team counted the win by sinking five more free throws than the host club.

Scioto's ball-of-fire reserve team outlasted the Jackson subs in the preliminary tilt to post a narrow 29-27 decision for its seventh victory without a loss.

Box score of the varsity thriller follows:

Jackson	G	F	T
Hoover	6	8	20
McFarland	1	1	3
Hulse	3	2	8
Neff	1	0	2
Holbrook	1	3	5
Rhoades	2	1	5
Totals	14	15	43
Scioto	**G**	**F**	**T**
Shoaf	3	2	8
Browning	0	0	0
Adkins	5	5	15
Haughn	2	1	5
Holt	0	0	0
Baker	5	1	11
Marlin	0	1	1
Green	1	0	2
Totals	16	10	42

Score by Quarters:				Total
Jackson	9	21	29 —	43
Scioto	13	18	35 —	42

Reserve game—Scioto, 29; Jackson, 27.

Sooner Defense Brings Defeat To CCNY '5'

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—City College of New York—last year's national champion—suffered its second setback of the season in bowing to a defensive-minded Oklahoma quintet, 48 to 43, in the feature game in Madison Square Garden last night.

The Sooners held a half-time lead of 28 to 17, but they saw it whittled down to 41-39, with four minutes left in the game. Then, Charley Pugsley sank two successive layups that halted City's belated surge and firmly decided the issue.

Pugsley, with 15 points, and six-foot-eleven-inch Marcus Freiberger, with 16, paced the Sooners with their all-around play. Ed Roman was high man for City with 14 points.

In the opener, Long Island university rolled up the biggest Garden score in two seasons as they trounced UCLA, 90 to 71.

Sherman White and Leroy Smith racked up 26 and 21 points, respectively, for the Blackbirds, who copped their fifth straight victory without a loss.

Bobsledders Await Tests

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—The four-man United States' bobsled team, driven by Stanley Benham of Lake Placid, N. Y., will defend its world championship at l'Albe d'Huez, France, Jan. 20-21 and Jan. 27-28.

The National AAU announced yesterday that the team will sail from New York Jan. 3.

Before defending their title, the bobsledders will compete in the annual Winter Sports Week at Garmisch Partenkirchen, Germany, Jan. 13-15.

The AAU also said that a team made up of American GIs stationed in Europe will represent the U. S. at the world championships.

County Teams Name Dates For Delayed Matches

Pickaway County basketball teams will attempt to make up postponed cage tilts after New Years.

A number of local cage contests were postponed earlier this month because of "the big snow which clogged the highways and gave the schools a week of vacation.

Revised schedules of Ashville, Walnut and Saltcreek for the delayed games follow:

Ashville—Darby at Ashville, Jan. 16.

Walnut—New Holland at Walnut, Jan. 9; Walnut at Carroll, Jan. 23.

Saltcreek—Saltcreek at Williamsport, Jan. 10; Saltcreek at Hamilton Township, Jan. 16; Scioto at Saltcreek, Jan. 23; and Adelphi at Saltcreek, Jan. 31.

Cincy Quint Still Winning

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22—The University of Cincinnati basketball team today remained the nation's highest scoring quintet after defeating William and Mary 89-60 here last night.

The Bearcats were paced by Center Jim Holstein who bucketed 28 points.

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Attest: FRED L. TIPTON,
Clerk and County Auditor
Dec. 15, 22.

The word "housewife" has been in the English language since early times. It appears in literature of 1225 in the form of "husewif."

Christmas SHOPPING

for Him--Her--Sister--Brother--Dad and Mother

LAST MINUTE shoppers for Him will find helpful suggestions in this list from Mason Furniture — A comfortable lounging chair with ottoman, smokers, magazine racks, hassocks, small radios, electric heaters, superfoam pillows, occasional chairs, reading lamps etc.

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FOR THE LAST minute shoppers—The different Christmas Cards that you have been wanting — they are at Mi-Lady's Beauty and Gift Shop. In fact these are really unusual cards priced from 5c to $1 each and in boxed assortments at 29c to $1 per box. If you want a Christmas card that will be remembered get these unusual ones.

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SANTA SUGGESTS that you give Mattel Music Makers for a Merry Christmas. A Cowboy Ge-Tar, two toys in one. You can play this real-like guitar or turn the crank and it will play catchy little tunes for you. $1.39; A Dancing Dude, for $1.98; a Hurdy-Gurdy with a monkey for $1.98; Grang Playerpiano for $3.98 or a Jack-in-the Music Box for $1.98 at Harpster and Yost.

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FOR THE OUTDOOR man on your list—a Cresco "Husky." You'll keep comfortably warm with this new lustrous Satin Twill sportswear. Genuine Lambskin collar, quilted Warm-n-lite lining, snugknit bottom, knit wristlets hidden inside the sleeves. $17.50 at Caddy Miller Hat Shop.

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FOR THAT unusual gift give Him Whitehall house signs or Weather Vanes — Sportsman flashlight, Sportsman hunting knife, Taylor thermometer, Indoor - outdoor thermometer, Berkley tie rack, Montague Fly Rod, True Temper casting rod, Pflueger casting reel, Nylon casting line, Streamliner tackle box, Phil-Rite Gas can, fitted picnic case, Thermos lunch kit, Thermos outing kit, Camp Ice Box, Vacuum bottle, some Famous Stanley tools, Lectro-Saw, utility drill, Sander-polisher kit — choose from stock at Harpster and Yost.

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A GIFT FOR the semi-invalid—a quart of Duffy's Tavern Rock 'n Rye—nutritional and the alcoholic content is practically nil, yet the flavor is pleasing. At Son's Grill — just $2.58.

HER GIFT THIS Christmas should come from Harpster and Yost and could be selected from this list—Fireplace ensemble, bathroom scale, door knocker, Bissell carpet sweeper, 3 way griddle, French fryer, open roaster, snack set, egg poacher, cooky press, percolator, Revere Ware, Dazey ice crusher, Dazey can opener, Dazey Juicer, Flint stainless steel kitchen aids, Cosco stools and tables, bread cabinet, step-on can, waster basket, covered dust pan, canister set, range set, Rubbermaid dish drainer, singing tea kettle, Presto pressure cooker, casserole etc.

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GIFT SUGGESTIONS for Him from L. M. Butch Co., Jewelers include—travel cases, key chains, Waldemar chains, tie chain sets, billfolds, cigarette lighters, cigarette cases, identification bracelets, signet rings, cameo rings, emblem rings, flexible watch bands, Lucien Lelong toilet water, belt buckle and tie chain set, Parker "51" and "21", Sheaffer pen sets.

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IF YOU ARE yet undecided just what you will give Her—here are some suggestions from the Mason Furniture Store—Samsonite luggage, Hamilton-Ross electric Sewing Machine, Mersman Tables, Thayer baby coach, high chair, strollers, Toddler, training seat, crib, play-pen, Nurre Mirrors, desks, secretaries, occasional chairs, superfoam pillows, lamps and many, many other gifts for the home.

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GIFTS FOR HER kitchen mean more leisure for Her. Get her a Dormeyer Fri-Well, the wonderful new automatic deep fyer, $27.50, or a Toastmaster, famous 2 slice automatic toaster $23 or an Osterett Kitchen Mixer, easy to use and easy to store, lightweight, especially handy for small kitchens $14.95 at Harpster and Yost.

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GET TOOL SETS for the young boy—priced from $2.19 to $3.49 at W. T. Grant Co.; small girls would like doll clothes for their dollies—rain capes with hoods, coats with matching bonnets—will fit any 16 inch doll. Both boys and girls would like boxed games priced from 15c to 29c Magic Action Circus, 50 acts for 29c.

A CHRISTMAS gift with the personal touch is a custom-made piece of furniture—Ward's Upholstery will make Children's rockers, foot-stools, boudoir chairs, chaise lounges, base rockers, tilt-back chairs with ottomans, studio couches—all made to your personal design and upholstered in the material and color you wish and that will harmonize with your decor. Just call 135 for information and estimate.

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GIVE THE LADY of the house a Manning-Bowman coffee percolator—8 cup capacity for $16.95 in a beautiful pattern or if she prefers a dripolator get a Westinghouse 8 cup automatic for $12.95 at Hoover Music Store.

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SPUN NYLON ARGYLE socks at Caddy Miller Hat Shop make ideal gifts for the men of the family—other nylons are priced as low as $1; tie guard and cuff link sets by Hickok are other welcome gifts, just $5 boxed.

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TREE LIGHTS and ornaments, if not ready now should be secured without delay—W. T. Grant Co., has a large assortment that you should see before you buy.

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LAST MINUTE gift suggestions for the baby from the L. M. Butch Co., Jewelers are — knife and fork sets, baby cups, rings, crosses, lockets, bracelets, silver rattles, baby spoons etc.

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SETTLEMENT IS DETAILED

New Railroad 'Peace Pact' To Run For Three Years

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22 — The new three-year "peace pact" for the big railway operating brotherhoods may bring the first long period of unbroken labor the industry ever has seen.

Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman yesterday disclosed the agreement after a 24-hour bargaining session.

The settlement provides a package increase of 29 cents an hour for yard men and 10 cents an hour for road men plus automatic increases to both classes of workers when the cost of living rises.

The agreement, which still is subject to ratification by the union negotiating committees, applies to the brotherhoods of engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors—the men who actually operate the nation's far-flung railroad system.

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THE SETTLEMENT ends a railroad wage dispute which began 22 months ago and led to government seizure and Army operation of the carriers last August and a recent pre-Christmas strike which threatened to impede the defense effort.

Steelman said the details of a contract still have to be hammered out by the experts but that the top leaders on both sides signed a memorandum of agreement providing for the following terms:

For 120,000 yardmen of the four brotherhoods:

1. An increase of 23 cents an hour retroactive to last Oct. 1 and another two cents hourly beginning Jan. 1 to compensate for higher living costs.

2. A 40-hour work week, instead of the present 48, but this will be set aside at least until Jan. 1, 1952, and as long thereafter as the defense effort requires.

3. When the workers do go on the 40-hour week, they will receive another four cents an hour pay boost to complete the 29 cents an hour package.

4. Quarterly adjustment of wages with the workers to get another cent an hour for every point rise in the government's cost of living index. The first adjustment will be next April 1.

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FOR 180,000 road men of the four unions:—

1. A five-cent hourly pay boost retroactive to Oct. 1 and an additional five-cent hourly increase beginning Jan. 1.

2. The same cost of living escalator clause provided for yardmen.

Steelman said the agreement bars strikes for three years because the union cannot start another general wage movement during that period which would lead to a national dispute and thus they will have nothing to strike about.

British Medics Prescribe Beer

LONDON—Doctors will be allowed to prescribe beer for Britain's National Health patients, Charles Kerr, secretary of the South-East Metropolitan Board said:

"We consulted the Ministry of Health and the matter was left to our discretion. The board decided that beer could be prescribed by a doctor. Several patients at a Bexhill Convalescent Home for Men are getting a half-pint daily."

SALLY'S SALLIES

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"Don't let him in till I cover up with a little make-up!"

9TH TO DIE THIS YEAR

Probes Open After Death Of Boxer Sonny Boy West

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—Two separate investigations begin today into the death of Alfred "Sonny Boy" West whose attempt to earn "Christmas money" by fighting ended tragically when a jarring right drove him into unconsciousness with a fatal brain injury.

The Negro lightweight fighter became the third ring fatality in the United States in 1950.

West, a 21-year-old Washington, D. C., lightweight, died in St. Clare's hospital last night a little less than 24 hours after he was battered senseless in the seventh round of a bout in St. Nicholas Arena by Percy Bassett of Philadelphia.

Sonny Boy never regained consciousness. Death as attributed to "inter-cerebral hemorrhage resulting from cerebral concussion."

Chairman Eddie Eagan of the New York State Boxing Commission announced that he will conduct a "thorough investigation to see if everything was as it should be" regarding the bout.

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THE LEGAL BUREAU of the police department also said that, following procedure in other ring fatalities, "all parties concerned" will be called to the district attorney's office for statements.

West's death was the second for New York in the year and both of them resulted in fights in St. Nick's. Laverne Roach died last February following a knockout by Georgie Small. The other U. S. ring death occurred in California Dec. 7 when Johnny Lopez was killed.

Six other fighters were killed throughout the world this year, making a total of nine. In 1949 there were 16 ring fatalities.

Dr. James T. Daniels, neurologist, who performed two operations on West, said he believed the "major cause" of the fighter's injury appeared to be "the severe impact of his head striking the ring floor."

Under New York state regulations, ring padding must be at least an inch thick.

Deputy Commissioner Joe Alperin, who was in charge of the arena Wednesday night, had pronounced the ring up to specifications. Eagan and other boxing officials would not say whether they thought the thickness in the padding was adequate.

West began to sink rapidly after the two operations to remove clots on hi brain. From 3:10 p. m. up to the point he was pronounced dead at 7:59, the young Negro was kept alive by artificial respiration.

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HIS PARENTS, Mr. and Mrs. Frank West, were in the hospital. Mrs. West collapsed shortly after the couple arrived from Washington, and she was put to bed in the hospital.

West's father, wh told newsmen about Sonny Boy's love for boxing and that he was a grand nephew of the late Jack Johnson, revealed that he saw his boy fatally injured.

"I was watching it on television at home," he said.

West's wife Jessie, who expects a second child soon, remained at home in Washington with their one-year-old daughter, Sharon.

It was to buy Christmas gifts for his family that West sought the fight with Bassett. He received only $220 as his share of the gate as the fight drew only 898 spectators. But his television share was $1,000.

West, a veteran of 56 fights, whose only other KO had come at the hands of Lightweight King Ike Williams, was a 7-5 favorite over the 20-year-old Bassett. Sonny Boy had won 46, lost nine and drew one. His 1950 record was 12-3 and he is rated as the sixth ranking lightweight in the forthcoming Ring Record Book.

'Cats Outlast Scioto To Win 43-42 Thriller

Jackson's "unperdictable" Wildcat basketball team staged a last quarter rally Thursday night at Scioto to squeeze the Buffalos out by a 43-42 decision.

Both teams took turns at leading during the first three periods before the 'Cats showered 14 points into the hoop in the final frame for the win.

Scioto opened the match with a 13-9 advantage, although the Jackson quintet held a 21-18 margin at the half. The Buffalos again assumed the lead at the three-quarter mark, only to fall behind in the final few seconds of play.

Jackson's Bob Hoover bucketed a total of 20 points in the contest to pace his winning 'Cat team, while Scioto's Sam Adkins was high man for the Buffalos with 15 points.

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THE JACKSON victory came as a result of its ability at the charity-toss line. Scioto outscored the 'Cats from the field by two baskets, while the Jackson team counted the win by sinking five more free throws than the host club.

Scioto's ball-of-fire reserve team outlasted the Jackson subs in the preliminary tilt to post a narrow 29-27 decision for its seventh victory without a loss.

Box score of the varsity thriller follows:

Jackson	G	F	T
Hoover	6	8	20
McFarland	1	1	3
Huise	3	2	8
Neff	1	0	2
Holbrook	1	3	5
Rhoades	2	1	5
Totals	14	15	43
Scioto	**G**	**F**	**T**
Shoaf	3	2	8
Browning	0	0	0
Adkins	5	5	15
Haughn	2	1	5
Holt	0	0	0
Baker	5	1	11
Marlin	0	1	1
Green	1	0	2
Totals	16	10	42

Score by Quarters:				Total
Jackson	9	21	29 —	43
Scioto	13	18	35 —	42

Reserve game—Scioto, 29; Jackson, 27.

Sooner Defense Brings Defeat To CCNY '5'

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—City College of New York—last year's national champion—suffered its second setback of the season in bowing to a defensive-minded Oklahoma quintet, 48 to 43, in the feature game in Madison Square Garden last night.

The Sooners held a half-time lead of 28 to 17, but they saw it whittled down to 41-39, with four minutes left in the game. Then, Charley Pugsley sank two successive layups that halted City's belated surge and firmly decided the issue.

Pugsley, with 15 points, and six-foot-eleven-inch Marcus Freiberger, with 16, paced the Sooners with their all-around play. Ed Roman was high man for City with 14 points.

In the opener, Long Island university rolled up the biggest Garden score in two seasons as they trounced UCLA, 90 to 71.

Sherman White and Leroy Smith racked up 26 and 21 points, respectively, for the Blackbirds, who copped their fifth straight victory without a loss.

Bobsledders Await Tests

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—The four-man United States' bobsled team, driven by Stanley Benham of Lake Placid, N. Y., will defend its world championship at l'Albe d'Huez, France, Jan. 20-21 and Jan. 27-28.

The National AAU announced yesterday that the team will sail from New York Jan. 3.

Before defending their title, the bobsledders will compete in the annual Winter Sports Week at Garmisch Partenkirchen, Germany, Jan. 13-15.

The AAU also said that a team made up of American GIs stationed in Europe will represent the U. S. at the world championships.

County Teams Name Dates For Delayed Matches

Pickaway County basketball teams will attempt to make up postponed cage tilts after New Years.

A number of local cage contests were postponed earlier this month because of "the big snow which clogged the highways and gave the schools a week of vacation.

Revised schedules of Ashville, Walnut and Saltcreek for the delayed games follow:

Ashville—Darby at Ashville, Jan. 16.

Walnut—New Holland at Walnut, Jan. 9; Walnut at Carroll, Jan. 23.

Saltcreek—Saltcreek at Williamsport, Jan. 10; Saltcreek at Hamilton Township, Jan. 16; Scioto at Saltcreek, Jan. 23; and Adelphi at Saltcreek, Jan. 31.

Cincy Quint Still Winning

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22—The University of Cincinnati basketball team today remained the nation's highest scoring quintet after defeating William and Mary 89-60 here last night.

The Bearcats were paced by Center Jim Holstein who bucketed 28 points.

Undefeated in five stars, Cincinnati has averaged 86.4 points per game.

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Rams 'Home' To Battle Brownies

Hoping For Thaw California Pilot

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He apparently wanted to reassure the skeptics who felt the sun-kissed Californians would take one gander at Cleveland's frigid Municipal Stadium and go where the wild goose goes.

"I keep telling my guys it's just as cold on the Browns' side of the line of scrimmage as it will be on our side," Stydahar said bravely. "In fact, I'd just as soon it didn't get warm."

"A thaw would leave the field muddy and on a muddy field Marion Motley will give the Browns an edge through the middle of the line."

Stydahar has little to fear concerning a thaw for the weather bureau promises temperatures well below freezing come game time.

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ANOTHER BIT of information that chiled the National Division winners was the report that Len Ford, the ace defensive right end who was put out of action Oct. 15 in a game with the Chicago Cardinals is back in uniform and may play Sunday.

The giant Negro's return could well spell the difference between victory and defeat in a game that bids to be settled by the defensive work of each team.

The Browns are still hoping that George Young, defensive left end, recovers sufficiently from a rib separation to see some action. Other Browns nursing various types of bruises are Tony Adamle, defensive fullback; Rex Baumgardner, left halfback; and Lin Houston, guard.

Personnel problems also are plaguing the Rams with Halfback Joe Barry apparently the most serious case. Barry seems to have lost his voice from a blow in the neck suffered during scrimmage, but he will play.

Weather conditions have cut advance ticket sales, but a crowd of at least 35,000 is expected for the title fracas. If temperatures climb above the freezing point, the total could soar to as high as 60,000.

In either event, the players will do handsomely money-wise since 70 percent of the proceeds is return to the players and the remaining amount goes to the commissioner's office for distribution to the league clubs.

Bob Momsen Is Co-Captain

MIAMI, Dec. 22—Bob Momsen, Ohio State guard, and John Miller, Northwestern halfback, will co-captain the north team for the annual North-South Shrine charity football game Monday night in Miami's Orange Bowl.

At yesterday's practice session, Yale Coach Herman Hickman sent his 27-man squad through a 90-minute workout.

One backfield included Dick Doheny of Fordham, Bill Roberts of Dartmouth, Carl Taseff of John Carroll and Frank Miller of Cornell.

The other was made up of Stu Tisdale of Yale, Reds Bagnell of Pennsylvania, Dick Gabriel of Lehigh and Jeff Fleischmann of Cornell.



IT'S A FOOTBALL GAME all right, but not an ordinary one. The players are blind, a few with partial vision, and it's an annual game at the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Oakland, near Pittsburgh. The game is touch football, but rough. The playing field is half the normal size and the ball is painted yellow to help the partially-blind boys distinguish it. *(International)*

Sectional-District Basketball Tournament Schedule Is Set Up

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—Ohio's 1,114 basketball-playing high schools will see action March 1-10 in the country's biggest cage carnival—the sectional - district title tournaments.

The tournaments offer the first championship competition for the 245 Class A squads, and the second round of play for 313 Class B teams which emerge from the county eliminations.

H. W. Emswiler, state high school athletic commissioner, said the sectional-district meets would be played in 20 different cities in each class. Sixteen survivors in each division will move onto the regional meets.

The field which diminished by 23 from last year due to consolidations, is comprised of 869 Class B quintets and the 245 Class A squads.

Schools which boasted football teams are limited to 20 pre-tourney games, and the others to 22. The commissioner said the 743 schedules submitted averaged 14.65 games.

Following are the sites of the sectional-district tournament, with the number of teams competing in each:

CLASS A

Columbus 22, Toronto, 7, Tiltonsville 7, New Concord, 10, Steubenville 4; Youngstown 20, Canton 11, Kent 23, Berea 16, Euclid 23, Bowling Green 8, Bluffton 8, Marion 8, Toledo 7, Sandusky 8, Rossford 8, Athens 16, Cincinnati 15, Dayton 14, Troy 14.

CLASS B

Westerville 35, Steubenville 7, Zanesville 13, Marietta 10, Dover 10, Kent 12, Ashtabula 6, Chagrin Falls 12, Oberlin 11, Ashland 7, Youngstown 14, Celina 12, Defiance 13, Bucyrus 14, Fremont 12, Athens 18, Waverly 18, Cincinnati 23, Xenia 18, Springfield 21.

In the eastern Class A district the winners from Toronto, Tiltonsville and New Concord will meet in Steubenville to decide the regional entrants.

Toledo will be host to the six survivors from Bowling Green, Bluffton, Marion, Toledo, Sandusky and Rossford, with three moving on to the regional play. Winners in the other events will go straight to the regionals.

Separate events will be held in Fremont and Celina for the northwestern district's parochial and exempted schools.

Sectional winners from Steubenville, Zanesville, Marietta and Dover will graduate to district play in Dover and Marietta in Class B, while Kent will be host to a 17-team district even for victors in sectional play from Kent, Ashtabula, Chagrin Falls, Oberlin, Ashland and Youngstown.

OSU Grid Pilot To Be Named By March 1

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22 — Ohio State university will have a new head football coach by March 1.

That is what the university's special football survey committee declared last night when it met to begin action for a replacement of Wesley Fesler, recently resigned Buckeye mentor.

In other action, the screening panel agreed on the following points:

(1) That Athletic Director Dick Larkins will inquire among coaches and other university officials attending the NCAA meetings in Dallas, Jan. 8-11 as to possible candidates.

(2) That the committee is not limited in its consideration to candidates who have submitted formal applications for the vacancy.

(3) That the candidates will not be advised by the committee of the disposition of their application until a head coach is finally approved by the board of trustees.

The committee will meet again Jan. 5 to prepare any recommendations for filing with the OSU athletic board.

Sugar Ray Is Favored

PARIS, Dec. 22—World Welterweight King Sugar Ray Robinson was a prohibitive favorite to defeat France's Robert Villemain in their 10-round non-title bout tonight in the Palace Of Sports.

The bout, a return go, is expected to attract a capacity crowd of 13,000 fans.

Robinson defeated Villemain in 15-rounds last July in Philadelphia in a bout which was billed as for the middleweight championship of the state of Pennsylvania.

Giants Sign Two Players

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—The New York Giants began their annual "in the fold" program today with the announcement that Second Baseman Ed Stanky and Centerfielder Bobby Thomson had signed their 1951 contracts.

Stanky, got a substantial raise over 1950. His new contract is estimated at $30,000. Thompson is to receive the same pay as last season, $25,000.

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Gavilan Given Nod Over Miceli

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—Cuba's Kid Gavilan, heir-apparent to the welterweight crown, rules a 13-5 favorite for his 10-round bout tonight against Joe Miceli in Madison Square Garden.

Gavilan, top contender for Ray Robinson's title, righted some poor showings by whipping Billy Graham and Tony Janiro in his last two bouts.

Miceli, a 822-year-old New Yorker, has fought 40 pro fights, losing nine to these and drawing twice.

Junior Tigers Lose By 37-26 Margin In Tilt

Circleville's junior high school basketball team suffered a 37-26 loss here Thursday to invading Chillicothe West Fifth junior cagers.

The locals were outclassed by a 12-3 margin in the opening period and 19-5 at the half.

Chillicothe dominated the play again in the second half, although the junior Tigers crept up to approach the lead 34-14 at the end of the third period and scored 12 points in te final frame to trail by the 11-point loss margin.

Mike Rooney paced the CHS youngsters in scoring during the one-sided encounter with a total of 16 points, tying for game honors with Chillicothe's Bates.

Laurelville juniors will invade here Jan. 3 to give the locals their next test. Box score of Thursday's game, the second loss in three starts for Circleville, follows:

Chillicothe	G	F	T
Bates	8	0	16
Menefee	4	0	8
Hummel	2	1	5
Barrett	0	0	0
Hennstein	1	3	5
Smith	0	0	0
Payne	1	1	3
Totals	16	5	37
Circleville	**G**	**F**	**T**
Brown	0	0	0
Fausnaugh	0	0	0
Hill	2	0	4
Rooney	8	0	16
Humphrey	2	1	5
Glitt	0	0	0
Graham	0	1	1
Totals	12	2	26

Score by Quarters: Total
Circleville 3 5 14 — 26
Chillicothe 12 19 34 — 37
Referees—Gabriel and Daugherty.

Hickman To Lead College '11'

CHICAGO, Dec. 22—Herman Hickman of Yale will coach the 1951 College All-Star football squad in its annual game with the professional champions.

The collegians will play the winner of Sunday's game between the Cleveland Browns and the Los Angeles Rams next Aug. 17 at Soldier Field, Chicago.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Small coins (Eur.)
6. Volume of maps
11. Military student
12. To shout aloud (var.)
13. Rugged mountain crests
15. Charts
16. Hereditery chief (Am. Ind.)
18. Man's name
21. Cry of a cow
22. Wallaba (Braz.)
25. Codified
28. Mulberry
29. Ground grain
30. Eject
32. Four (Rom. numeral)
33. Text of an opera
37. Spread grass to dry
39. Hint
40. Affirmative votes
41. Countersunk
44. Below (naut.)
46. One who skates
50. Bestowed
52. Roman magistrate
53. Musical drama
54. Spanish ladies

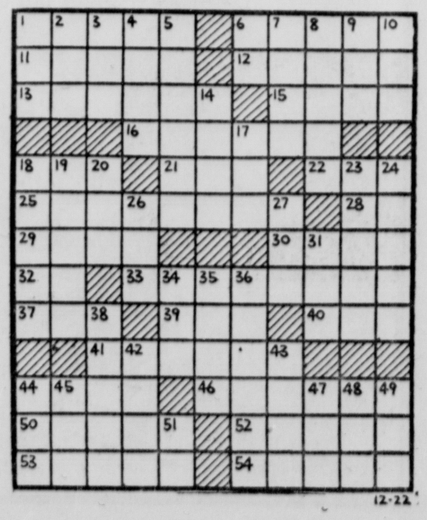
DOWN

1. Tuber (So. Am.)
2. Obstacle
3. Poem
4. Permits
5. Vaporizes
6. Exclamation
7. Domesticate
8. So. Am. animal
9. Lofty mountain
10. Distress signal
14. Native of Scotland
17. Garden tool
18. Let in
19. Sifting device
20. Moslem title
23. Like paste
24. Lowest female singing voices
26. Old measure of length
27. Female deer
31. New Mexican lizard
34. River (So. Am.)
35. Sponges (slang)
36. Fumed
38. Flock
42. Pitcher with a lid
43. Lower part of room wall
44. Past
45. Edge of a wound
47. Metal
48. Guido's highest note
49. Property (L.)
51. North America (abbr.)

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B	E	■	R	I	L	L	■	R	A	■
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S	H	A	D	■	S	T	I	L	L	S
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"I keep telling my guys it's just as cold on the Browns' side of the line of scrimmage as it will be on our side," Stydahar said bravely. "In fact, I'd just as soon it didn't get warm."

"A thaw would leave the field muddy and on a muddy field Marion Motley will give the Browns an edge through the middle of the line."

Stydahar has little to fear concerning a thaw for the weather bureau promises temperatures well below freezing come game time.

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ANOTHER BIT of information that chiled the National Division winners was the report that Len Ford, the ace defensive right end who was put out of action Oct. 15 in a game with the Chicago Cardinals is back in uniform and may play Sunday.

The giant Negro's return could well spell the difference between victory and defeat in a game that bids to be settled by the defensive work of each team.

The Browns are still hoping that George Young, defensive left end, recovers sufficiently from a rib separation to see some action. Other Browns nursing various types of bruises are Tony Adamle, defensive fullback; Rex Baumgardner, left halfback; and Lin Houston, guard.

Personnel problems also are plaguing the Rams with Halfback Joe Barry apparently the most serious case. Barry seems to have lost his voice from a blow in the neck suffered during scrimmage, but he will play.

Weather conditions have cut advance ticket sales, but a crowd of at least 35,000 is expected for the title frabas. If temperatures climb above the freezing point, the total could soar to as high as 60,000.

In either event, the players will do handsomely money-wise since 70 percent of the proceeds is return to the players and the remaining amount goes to the commissioner's office for distribution to the league clubs.

Bob Momsen Is Co-Captain

MIAMI, Dec. 22—Bob Momsen, Ohio State guard, and John Miller, Northwestern halfback, will co-captain the north team for the annual North-South Shrine charity football game Monday night in Miami's Orange Bowl.

At yesterday's practice session, Yale Coach Herman Hickman sent his 27-man squad through a 90-minute workout.

One backfield included Dick Doheny of Fordham, Bill Roberts of Dartmouth, Carl Taseff of John Carroll and Frank Miller of Cornell.

The other was made up of Stu Tisdale of Yale, Reds Bagnell of Pennsylvania, Dick Gabriel of Lehigh and Jeff Fleischmann of Cornell.



IT'S A FOOTBALL GAME all right, but not an ordinary one. The players are blind, a few with partial vision, and it's an annual game at the Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind at Oakland, near Pittsburgh. The game is touch football, but rough. The playing field is half the normal size and the ball is painted yellow to help the partially-blind boys distinguish it. *(International)*

Sectional-District Basketball Tournament Schedule Is Set Up

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—Ohio's 1,114 basketball-playing high schools will see action March 1-10 in the country's biggest cage carnival—the sectional - district title tournaments.

The tournaments offer the first championship competition for the 245 Class A squads, and the second round of play for 313 Class B teams which emerge from the county eliminations.

H. W. Emswiler, state high school athletic commissioner, said the sectional-district meets would be played in 20 different cities in each class. Sixteen survivors in each division will move onto the regional meets.

The field which diminished by 23 from last year due to consolidations, is comprised of 869 Class B quintets and the 245 Class A squads.

Schools which boasted football teams are limited to 20 pre-tourney games, and the others to 22. The commissioner said the 743 schedules submitted averaged 14.65 games.

Following are the sites of the sectional-district tournament, with the number of teams competing in each:

CLASS A

Columbus 22, Toronto, 7, Tiltonsville 7, New Concord, 10, Steubenville 4; Youngstown 20, Canton 11, Kent 23, Berea 16, Euclid 23, Bowling Green 8, Bluffton 8, Marion 8, Toledo 7, Sandusky 8, Rossford 8, Athens 16, Cincinnati 15, Dayton 14, Troy 14.

CLASS B

Westerville 35, Steubenville 7, Zanesville 13, Marietta 10, Dover 10, Kent 12, Ashtabula 6, Chagrin Falls 12, Oberlin 11, Ashland 7, Youngstown 14, Celina 12, Defiance 13, Bucyrus 14, Fremont 12, Athens 18, Waverly 18, Cincinnati 23, Xenia 18, Springfield 21.

In the eastern Class A district the winners from Toronto, Tiltonsville and New Concord will meet in Steubenville to decide the regional entrants.

Toledo will be host to the six survivors from Bowling Green, Bluffton, Marion, Toledo, Sandusky and Rossford, with three moving on to the regional play. Winners in the other events will go straight to the regionals.

Separate events will be held in Fremont and Celina for the northwestern district's parochial and exempted schools.

Sectional winners from Steubenville, Zanesville, Marietta and Dover will graduate to district play in Dover and Marietta in Class B, while Kent will be host to a 17-team district even for victors in sectional play from Kent, Ashtabula, Chagrin Falls, Oberlin, Ashland and Youngstown.

OSU Grid Pilot To Be Named By March 1

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22 — Ohio State university will have a new head football coach by March 1.

That is what the university's special football survey committee declared last night when it met to begin action for a replacement of Wesley Fesler, recently resigned Buckeye mentor.

In other action, the screening panel agreed on the following points:

(1) That Athletic Director Dick Larkins will inquire among coaches and other university officials attending the NCAA meetings in Dallas, Jan. 8-11 as to possible candidates.

(2) That the committee is not limited in its consideration to candidates who have submitted formal applications for the vacancy.

(3) That the candidates will not be advised by the committee of the disposition of their application until a head coach is finally approved by the board of trustees.

The committee will meet again Jan. 5 to prepare any recommendations for filing with the OSU athletic board.

Sugar Ray Is Favored

PARIS, Dec. 22—World Welterweight King Sugar Ray Robinson was a prohibitive favorite to defeat France's Robert Villemain in their 10-round non-title bout tonight in the Palace Of Sports.

The bout, a return go, is expected to attract a capacity crowd of 13,000 fans.

Robinson defeated Villemain in 15-rounds last July in Philadelphia in a bout which was billed as for the middleweight championship of the state of Pennsylvania.

Giants Sign Two Players

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—The New York Giants began their annual "in the fold" program today with the announcement that Second Baseman Ed Stanky and Centerfielder Bobby Thomson had signed their 1951 contracts.

Stanky, got a substantial raise over 1950. His new contract is estimated at $30,000. Thompson is to receive the same pay as last season, $25,000.

Gavilan Given Nod Over Miceli

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—Cuba's Kid Gavilan, heir-apparent to the welterweight crown, rules a 13-5 favorite for his 10-round bout tonight against Joe Miceli in Madison Square Garden.

Gavilan, top contender for Ray Robinson's title, righted some poor showings by whipping Billy Graham and Tony Janiro in his last two bouts.

Miceli, a 822-year-old New Yorker, has fought 40 pro fights, losing nine to these and drawing twice.

Junior Tigers Lose By 37-26 Margin In Tilt

Circleville's junior high school basketball team suffered a 37-26 loss here Thursday to invading Chillicothe West Fifth junior cagers.

The locals were outclassed by a 12-3 margin in the opening period and 19-5 at the half.

Chillicothe dominated the play again in the second half, although the junior Tigers crept up to approach the lead 34-14 at the end of the third period and scored 12 points in te final frame to trail by the 11-point loss margin.

Mike Rooney paced the CHS youngsters in scoring during the one-sided encounter with a total of 16 points, tying for game honors with Chillicothe's Bates.

Laurelville juniors will invade here Jan. 3 to give the locals their next test. Box score of Thursday's game, the second loss in three starts for Circleville, follows:

Chillicothe	G	F	T
Bates	8	0	16
Menefee	4	0	8
Hummel	2	1	5
Barrett	0	0	0
Hennstein	1	3	5
Smith	0	0	0
Payne	1	1	3
Totals	16	5	37
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Brown	0	0	0
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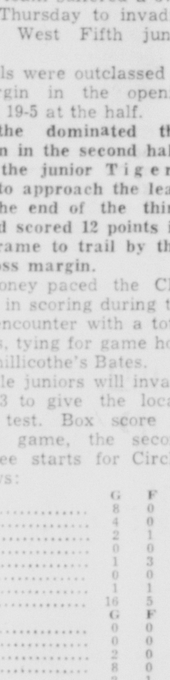
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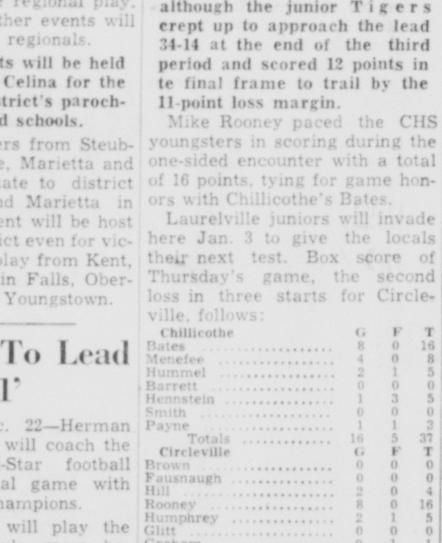
1. Small coins (Eur.)
6. Volume of maps
11. Military student
12. To shout aloud (var.)
13. Rugged mountain crests
15. Charts
16. Hereditery chief (Am. Ind.)
18. Man's name
21. Cry of a cow
22. Wallaba (Braz.)
25. Codified
28. Mulberry
29. Ground grain
30. Eject
32. Four (Rom. numeral)
33. Text of an opera
37. Spread grass to dry
39. Hint
40. Affirmative votes
41. Countersunk
44. Below (naut.)
46. One who skates
50. Bestowed
52. Roman magistrate
53. Musical drama
54. Spanish ladies

DOWN

1. Tuber (So. Am.)
2. Obstacle
3. Poem
4. Permits
5. Vaporizes
6. Exclamation
7. Domesticate
8. So. Am. animal
9. Lofty mountain
10. Distress signal
14. Native of Scotland
17. Garden tool
18. Let in
19. Sifting device
20. Moslem title
23. Like paste
24. Lowest female singing voices
26. Old measure of length
27. Female deer
31. New Mexican lizard
34. River (So. Am.)
35. Sponges (slang)
36. Fumed
38. Flock
42. Pitcher with a lid
43. Lower part of room wall
44. Past
45. Edge of a wound
47. Metal
48. Guido's highest note
49. Property (L.)
51. North America (abbr.)



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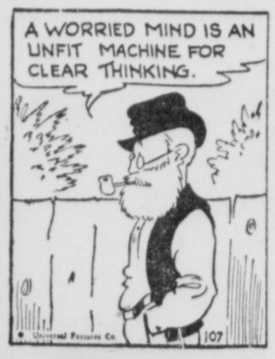




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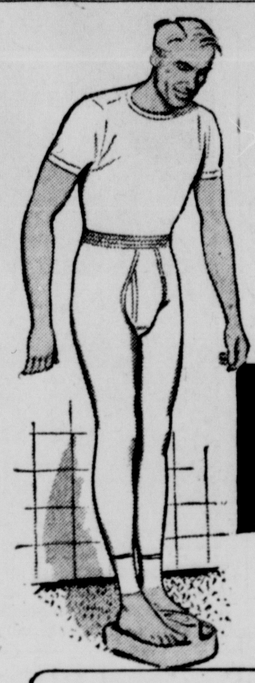
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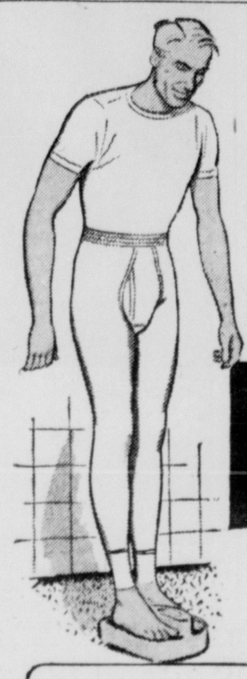
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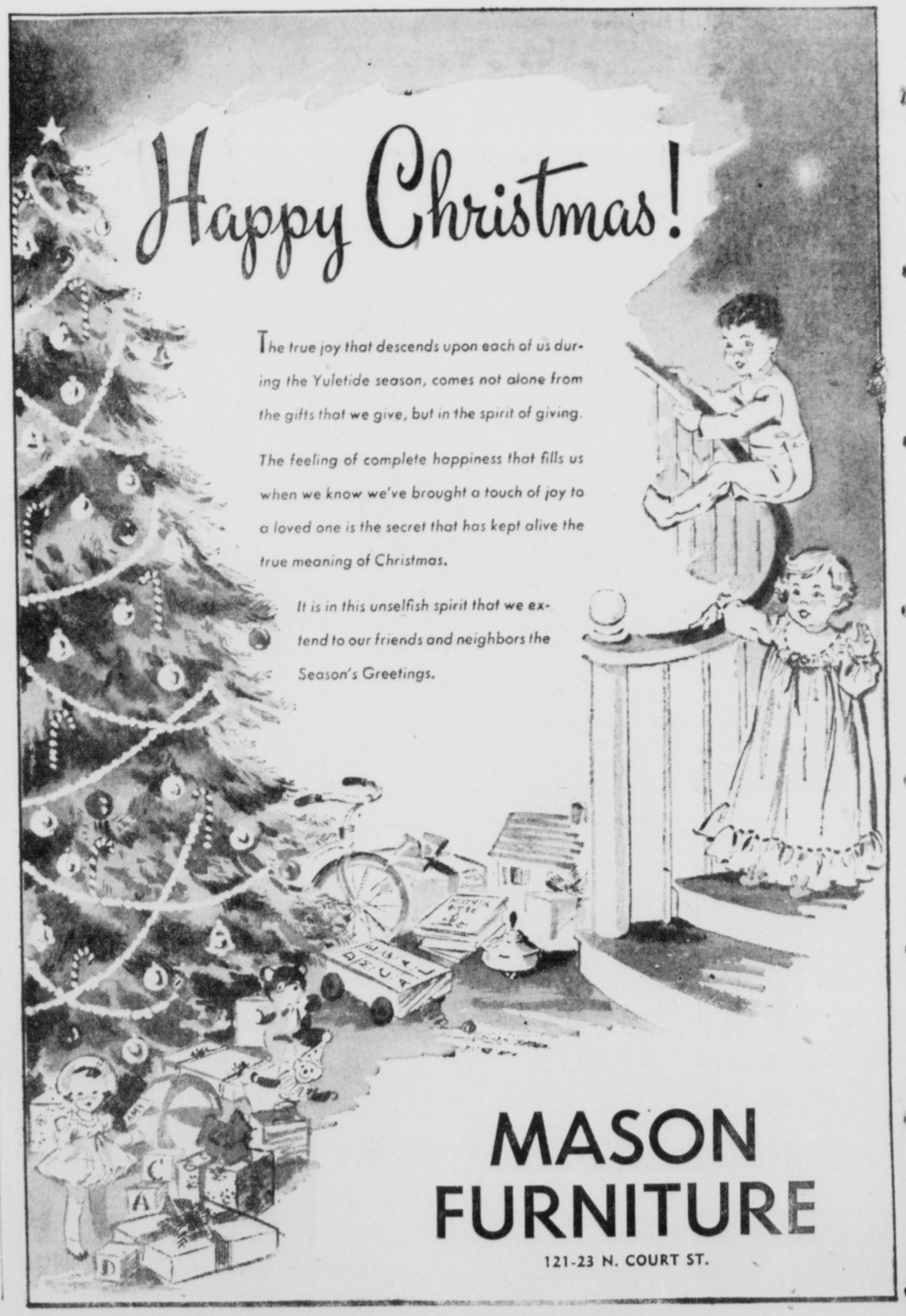


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Keep safety in mind as you select toys for children. Be sure they are too large to enter a baby's mouth. They should be sturdy in construction so no small parts may come off and be put in the child's mouth. Keep the toys light in weight so the youth may handle them easily.

Watch for sharp corners and edges which may produce cuts and scratches. Plastic scissors with blunt ends will cut paper dolls, but will not damage tiny fingers. Choose the right size of riding toys. One that is too large will cause the child to tumble off.

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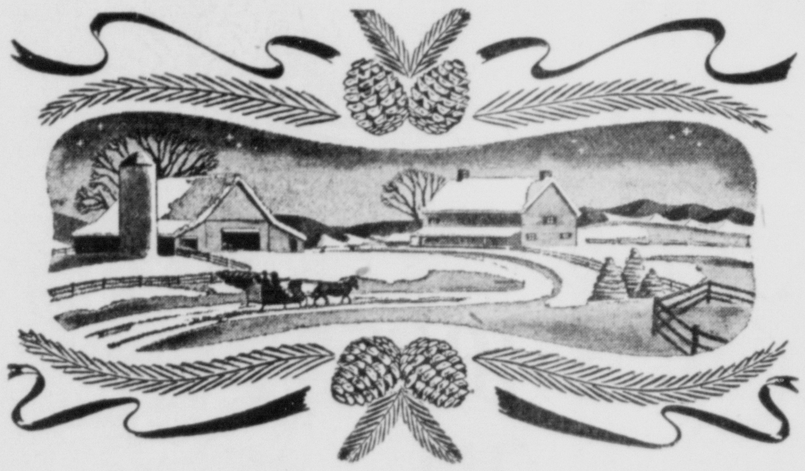
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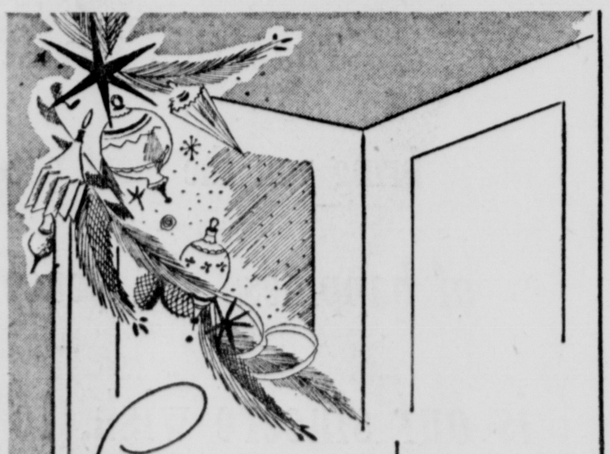
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Far up in these Alpine mountains, where love of music is nature's gift to every child, nestles the remote town of Oberndorf, Austria.

It was here that years ago in 1818 lived a devout young Lutheran pastor, the Rev. Joseph Mohr.

Together with his friend the village schoolmaster and church organist, Franz Gruber, Pastor Mohr destined to give the world this beautiful and most famous of all Christmas hymns.

The two men, both lovers of great music, had often talked of the fact that "the perfect Christmas song had not yet been found." Meditating on this thought, Mohr sat in his church study on Christmas Eve, 1818.

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OUTSIDE, THE hushed silence of the night heightened the snow-covered beauty and peaceful stillness of the mountain scene. The purity and calmness of the high peaks filled his heart with radiant peace and joy of the first Christmas tidings, "Jesus, The Saviour Is Born."

The thoughts which had been long forming in his mind suddenly found clear, musical expressions that night in the song which we have since come to know and love as "Silent Night, Holy Night."

The next morning, Christmas Day, Reverend Mohr hurried to his friend's home with the manuscript of his precious song. Gruber read it intently and exclaimed with uncontrolled enthusiasm, "Friend Mohr, you have found it—the right song—God be praised!"

Gruber, thrilled with the spirit of his friend's verses, at once set to work to compose a perfect melody for "the perfect song."

Finally, the soft-flowing air we now use came to Franz.

"It sings itself, your song," he cried to the delighted priest. Gruber's real contribution to music lies in the beauty and simplicity of the tune in its perfect blending in spirit with the pastor's verses. The two men th sang the hymn over together, to have it ready for the church devotions that night.

Later in the same evening, when the villagers were gathered in the gray little church, Reverend Mohr and Gruber sang their new Christmas song before its first audience.

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The story of how the song spread from its mountain home in Tyrol, to become one of the Christmas favorites in all parts of the world is full of interest. Only very slowly did it come into fame.

For nearly a year after its first appearance the song lay almost forgotten in Gruber's desk. Then, in November, 1819, the church organ had to be repaired, and the repair man, when he had finished with his work, asked Gruber to play something to test the organ.

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So entranced was the organ-builder that he begged to take a copy of the song home with him to his little town across the mountains.

From one music lover to another the hymn was passed on. Still it was without a name, and was known simply as "The Tyrolean Song," because it had first come from the Tyrolean Alps. With that title it was printed in 1842 for the first time, fully 25 years after it had been composed!

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Far up in these Alpine mountains, where love of music is nature's gift to every child, nestles the remote town of Oberndorf, Austria.

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Together with his friend the village schoolmaster and church organist, Franz Gruber, Pastor Mohr destined to give the world this beautiful and most famous of all Christmas hymns.

The two men, both lovers of great music, had often talked of the fact that "the perfect Christmas song had not yet been found." Meditating on this thought, Mohr sat in his church study on Christmas Eve, 1818.

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OUTSIDE, THE hushed silence of the night heightened the snow-covered beauty and peaceful stillness of the mountain scene. The purity and calmness of the high peaks filled his heart with radiant peace and joy of the first Christmas tidings, "Jesus, The Saviour Is Born."

The thoughts which had been long forming in his mind suddenly found clear, musical expressions that night in the song which we have since come to know and love as "Silent Night, Holy Night."

The next morning, Christmas Day, Reverend Mohr hurried to his friend's home with the manuscript of his precious song. Gruber read it intently and exclaimed with uncontrolled enthusiasm, "Friend Mohr, you have found it—the right song—God be praised!"

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"It sings itself, your song," he cried to the delighted priest. Gruber's real contribution to music lies in the beauty and simplicity of the tune in its perfect blending in spirit with the pastor's verses. The two men th sang the hymn over together, to have it ready for the church devotions that night.

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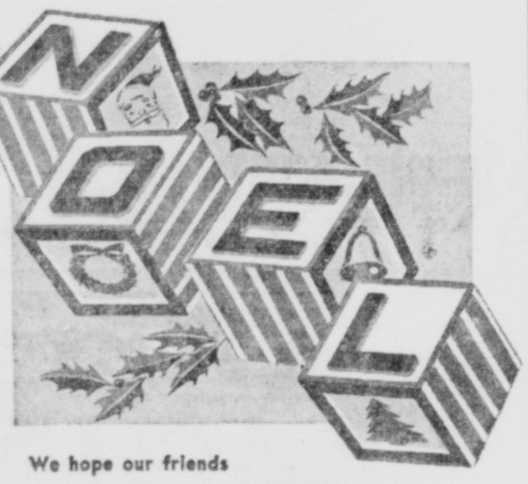
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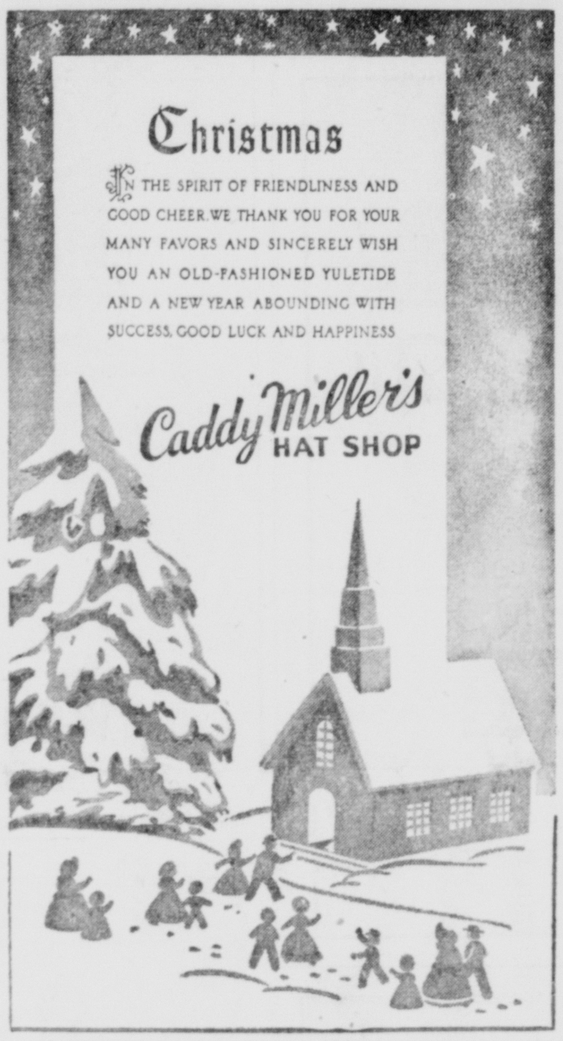
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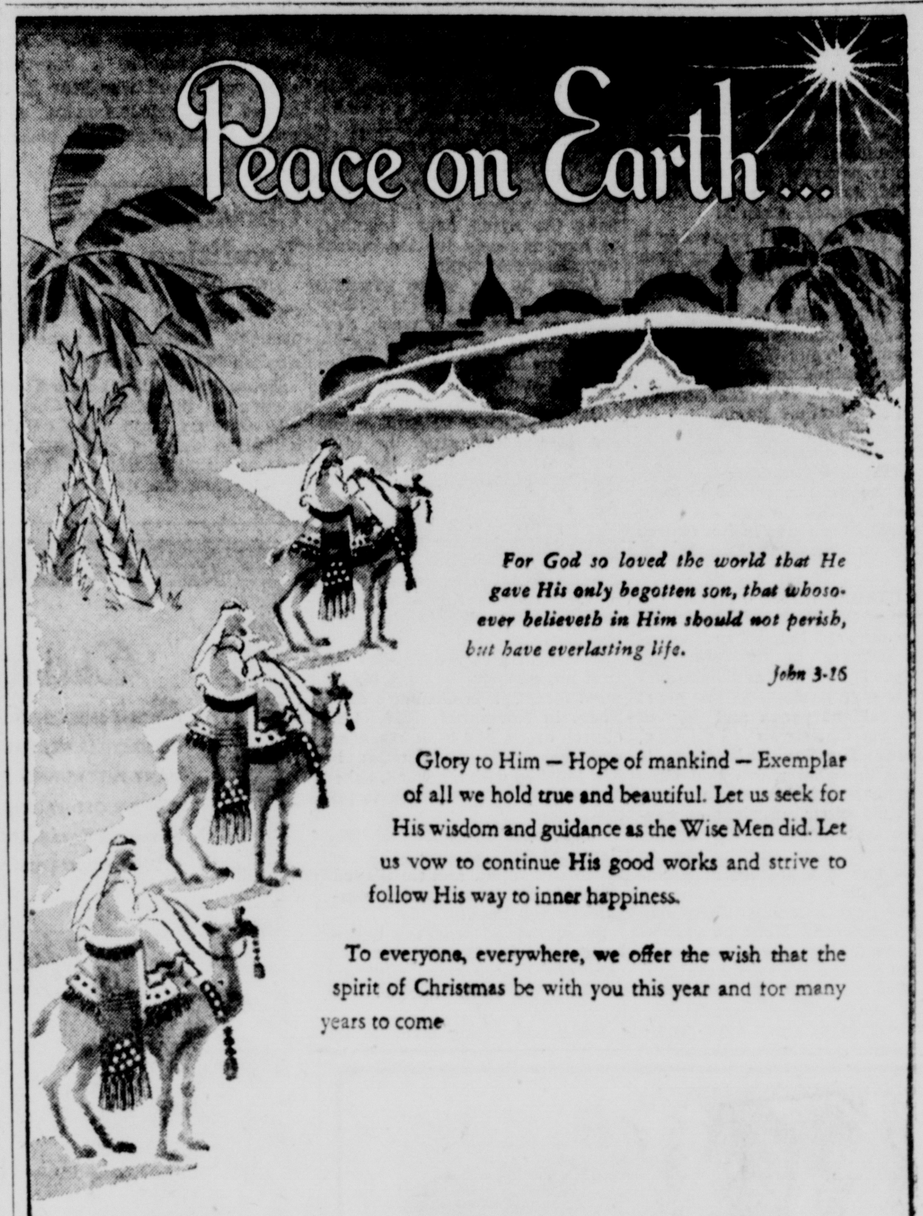
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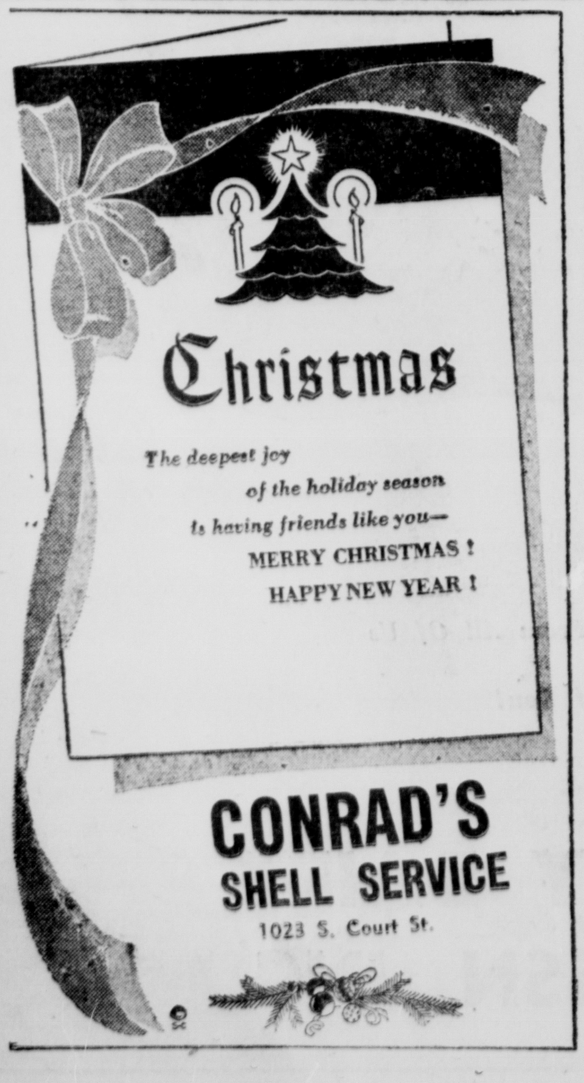
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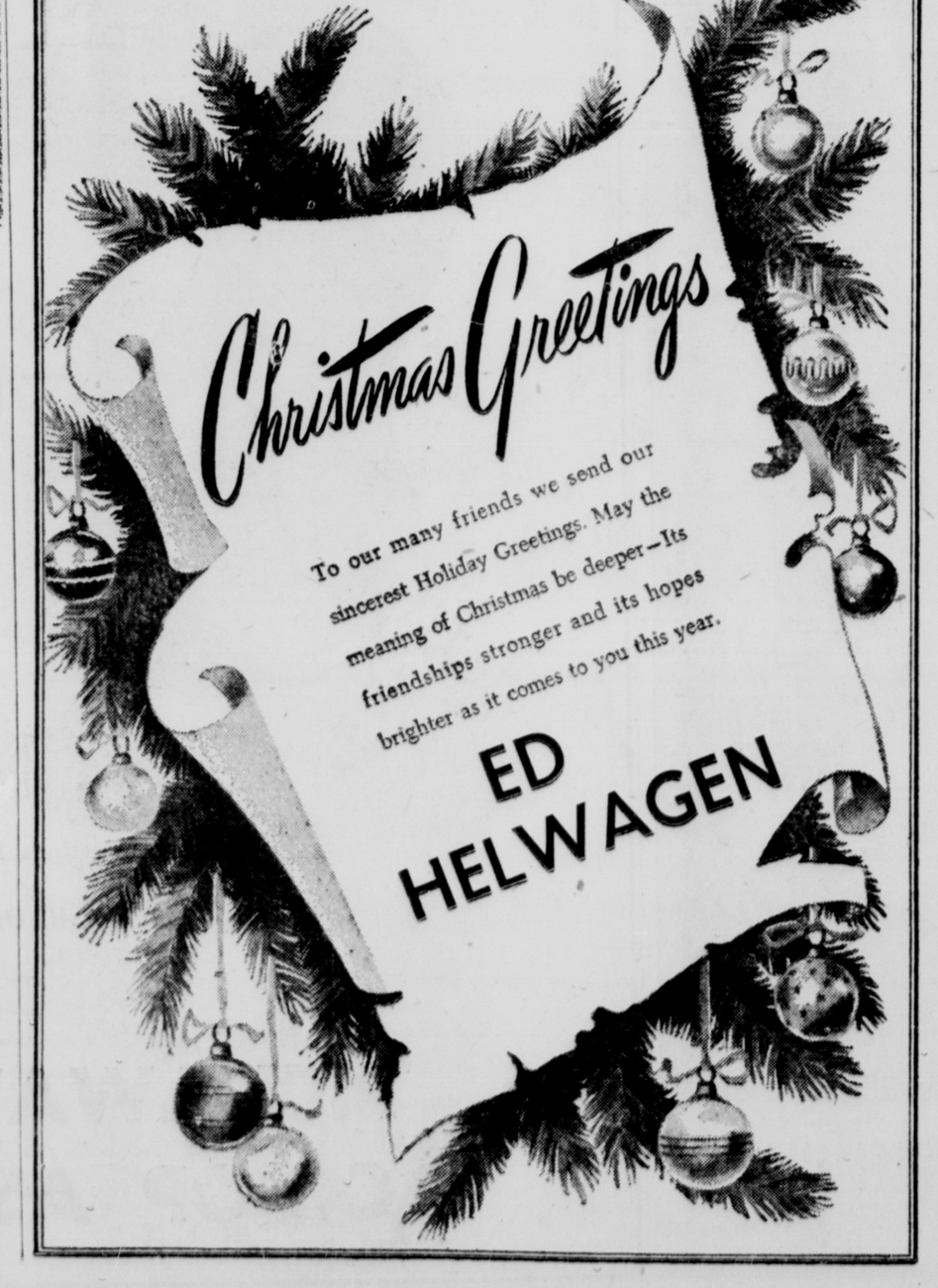
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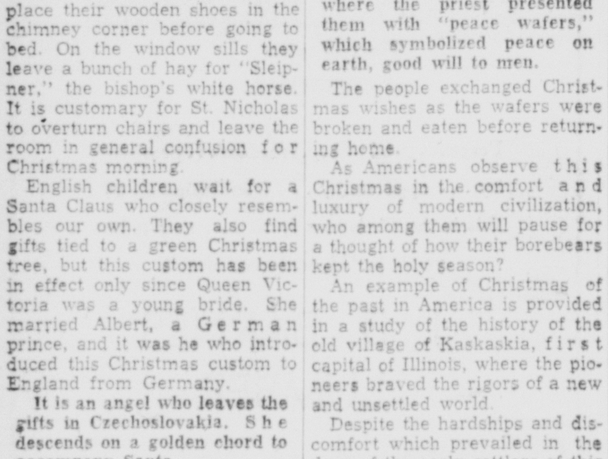


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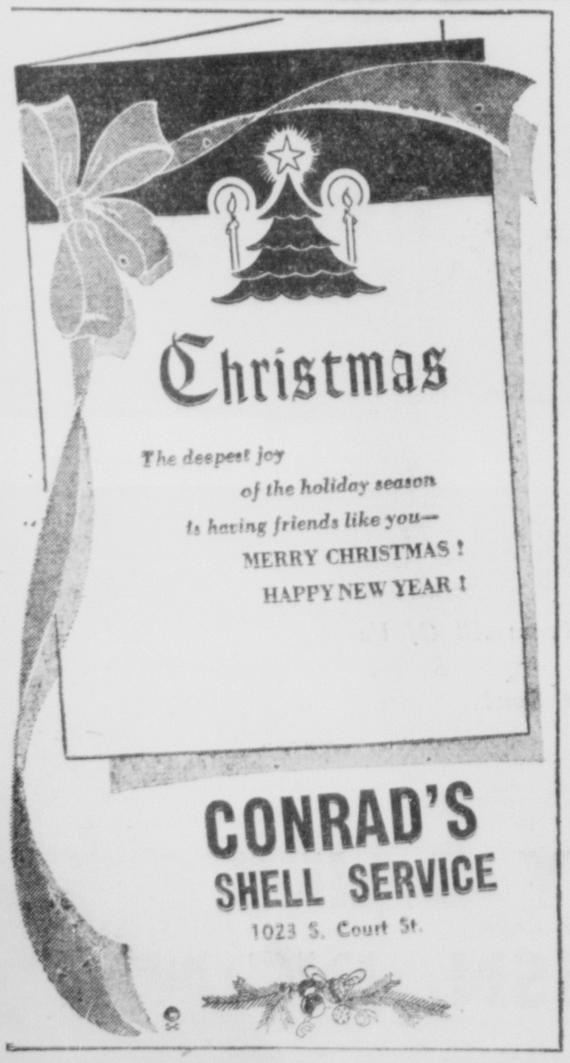
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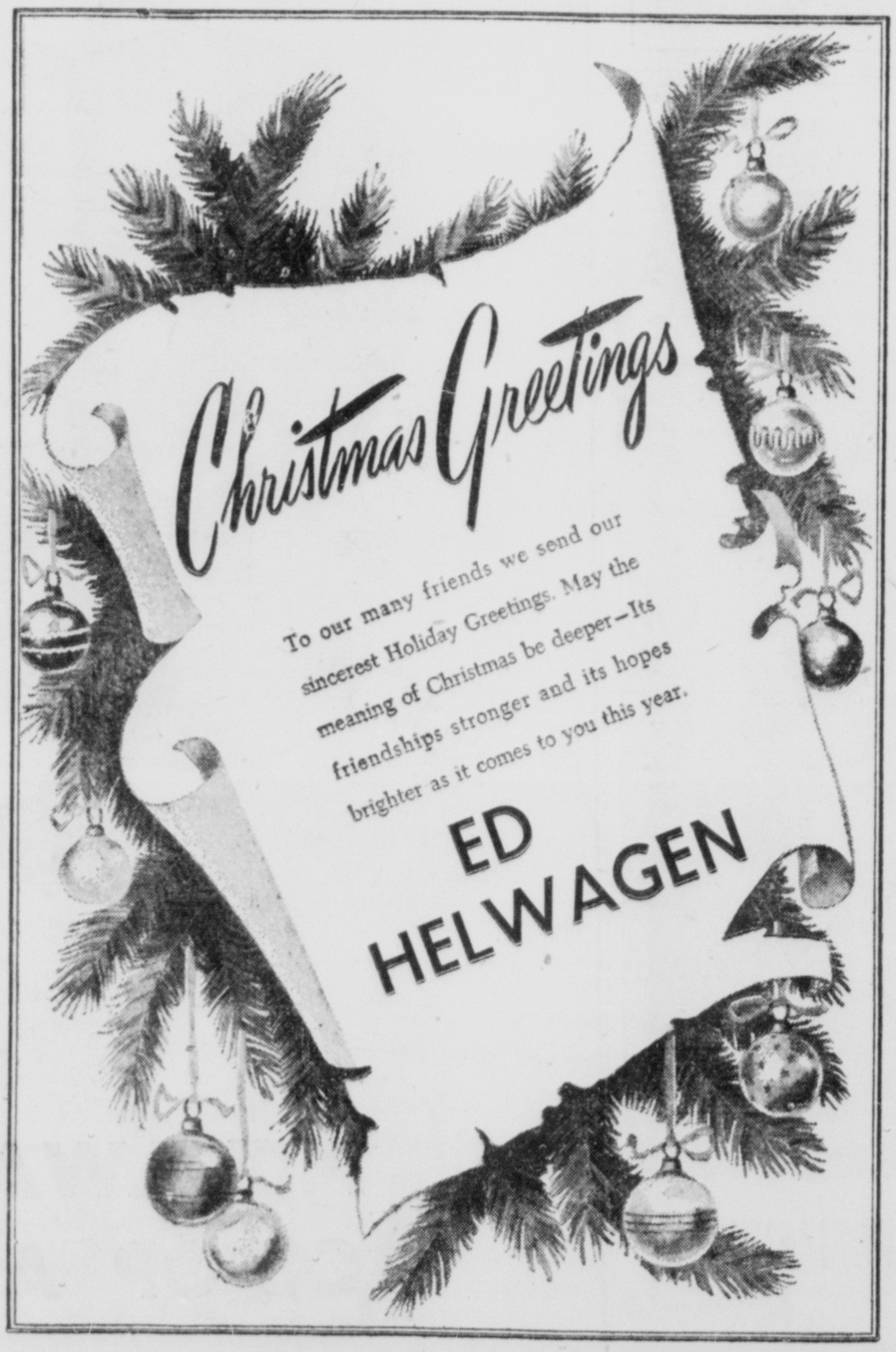
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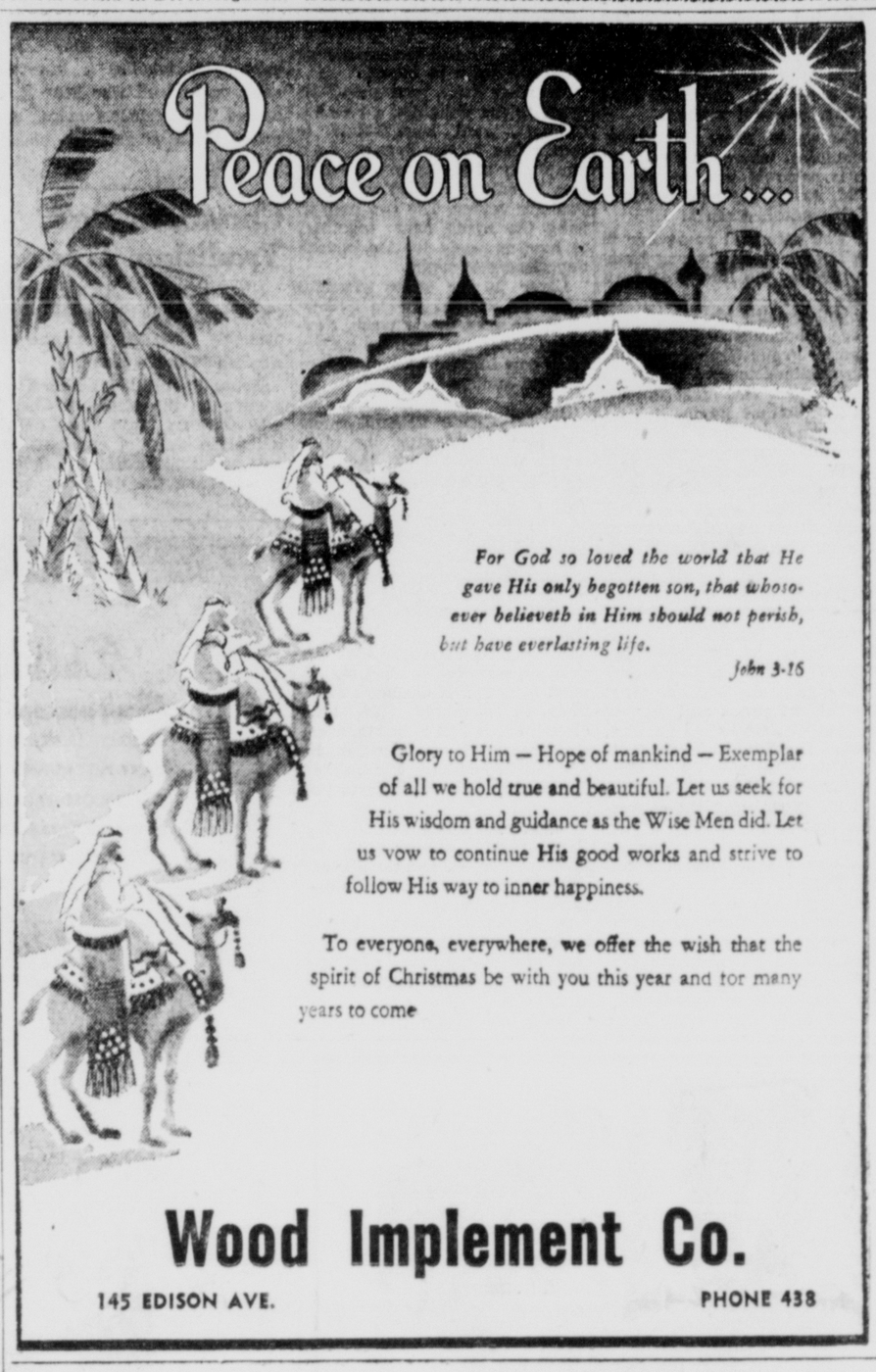
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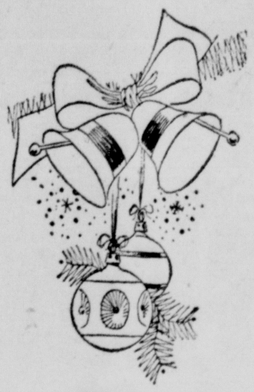
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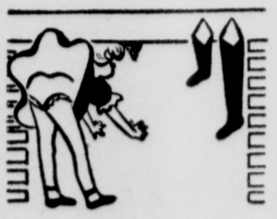
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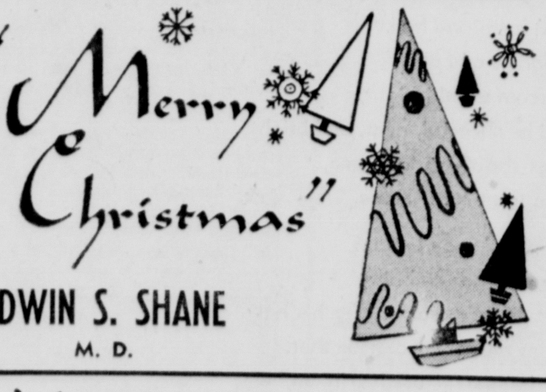
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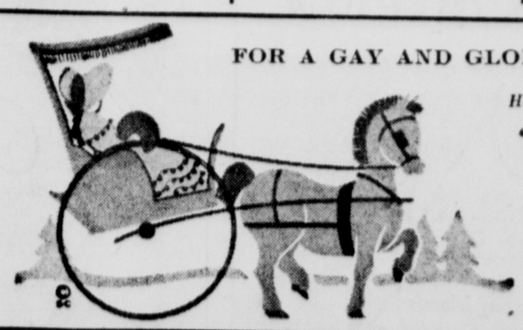
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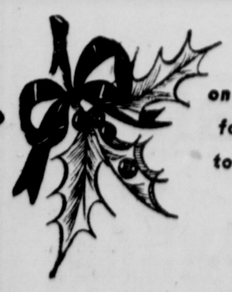
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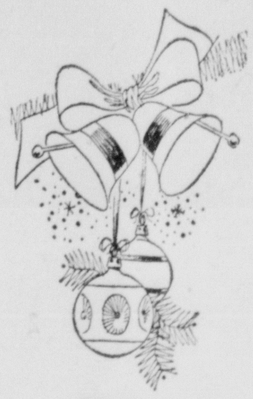
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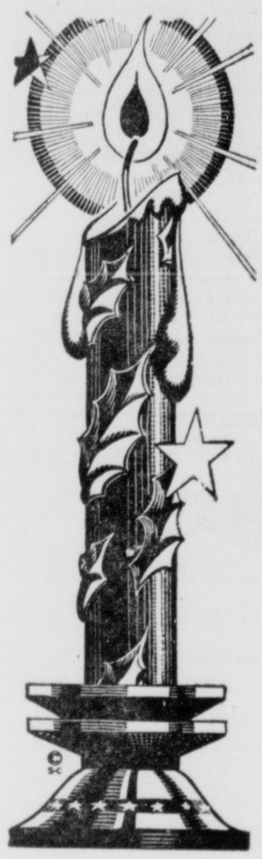
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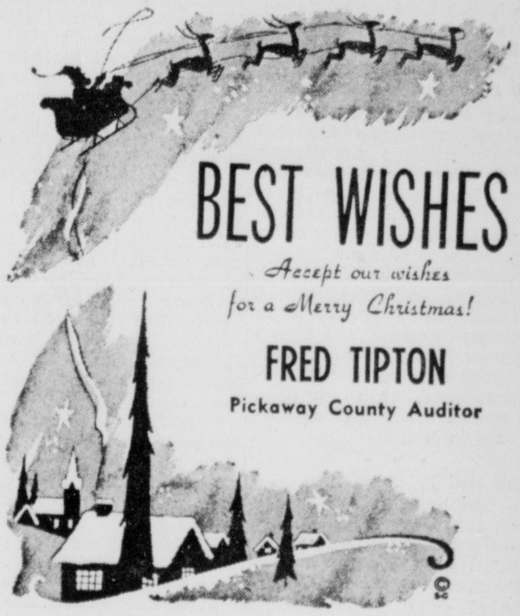


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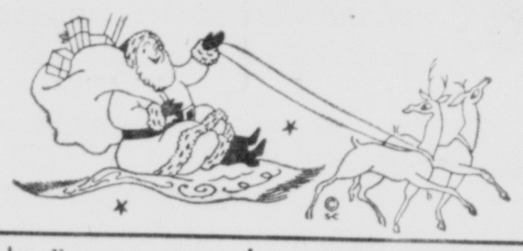
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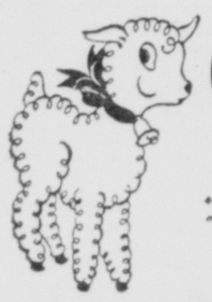


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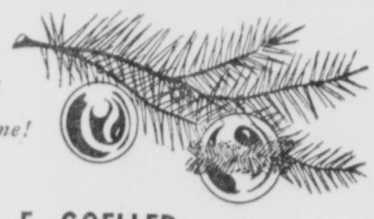
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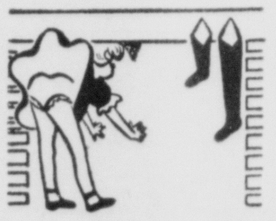
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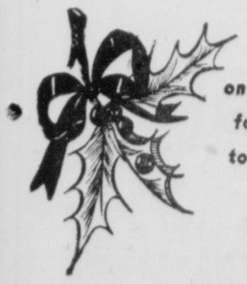


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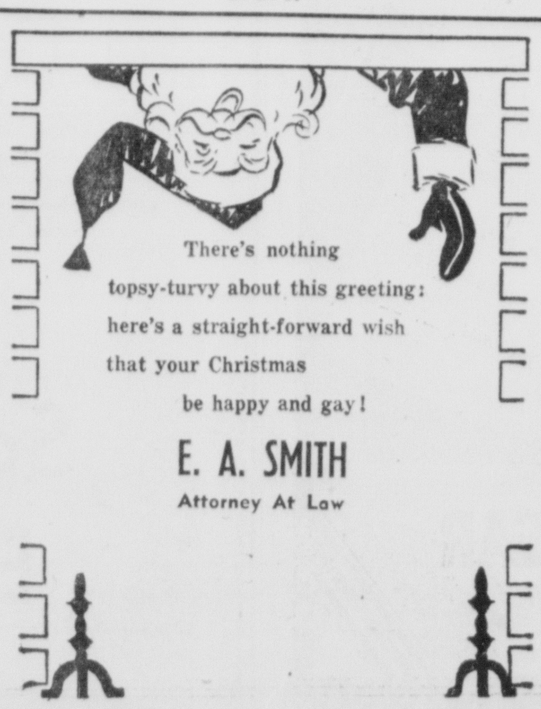
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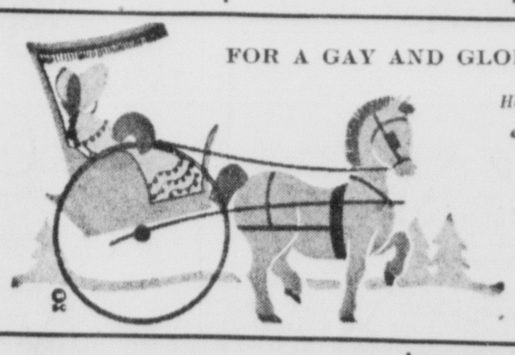
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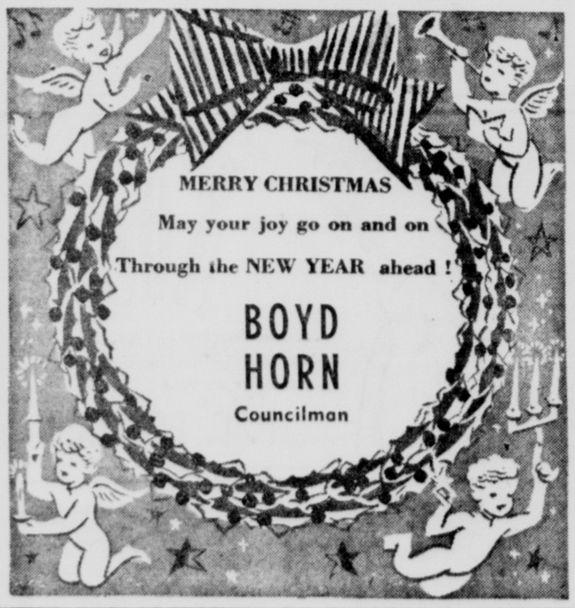
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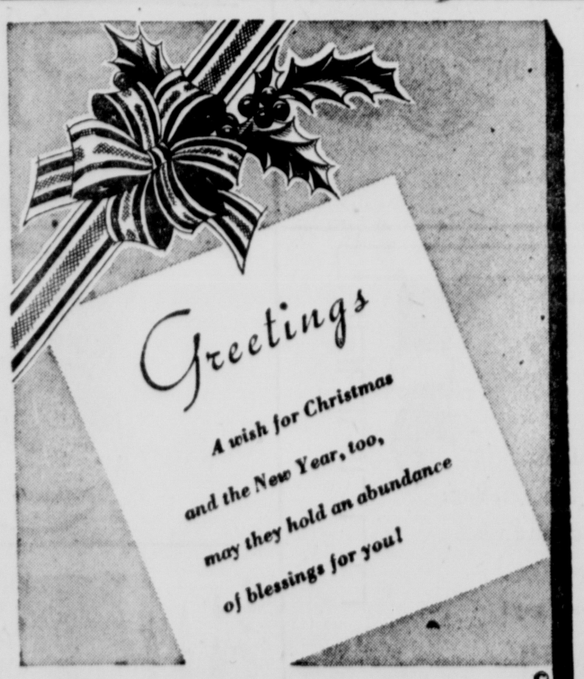
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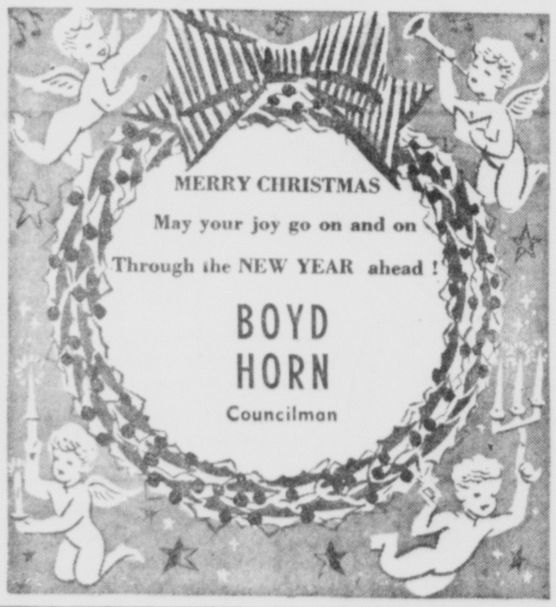
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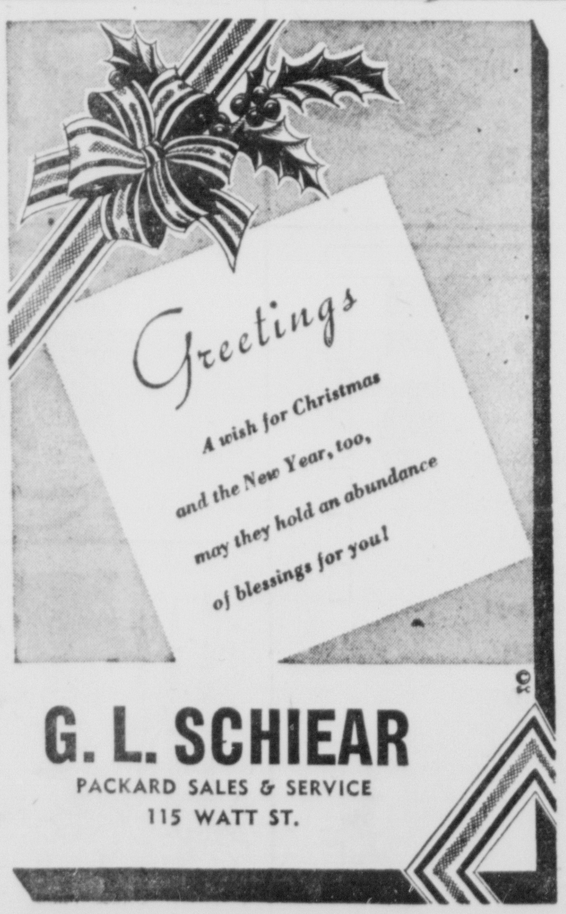
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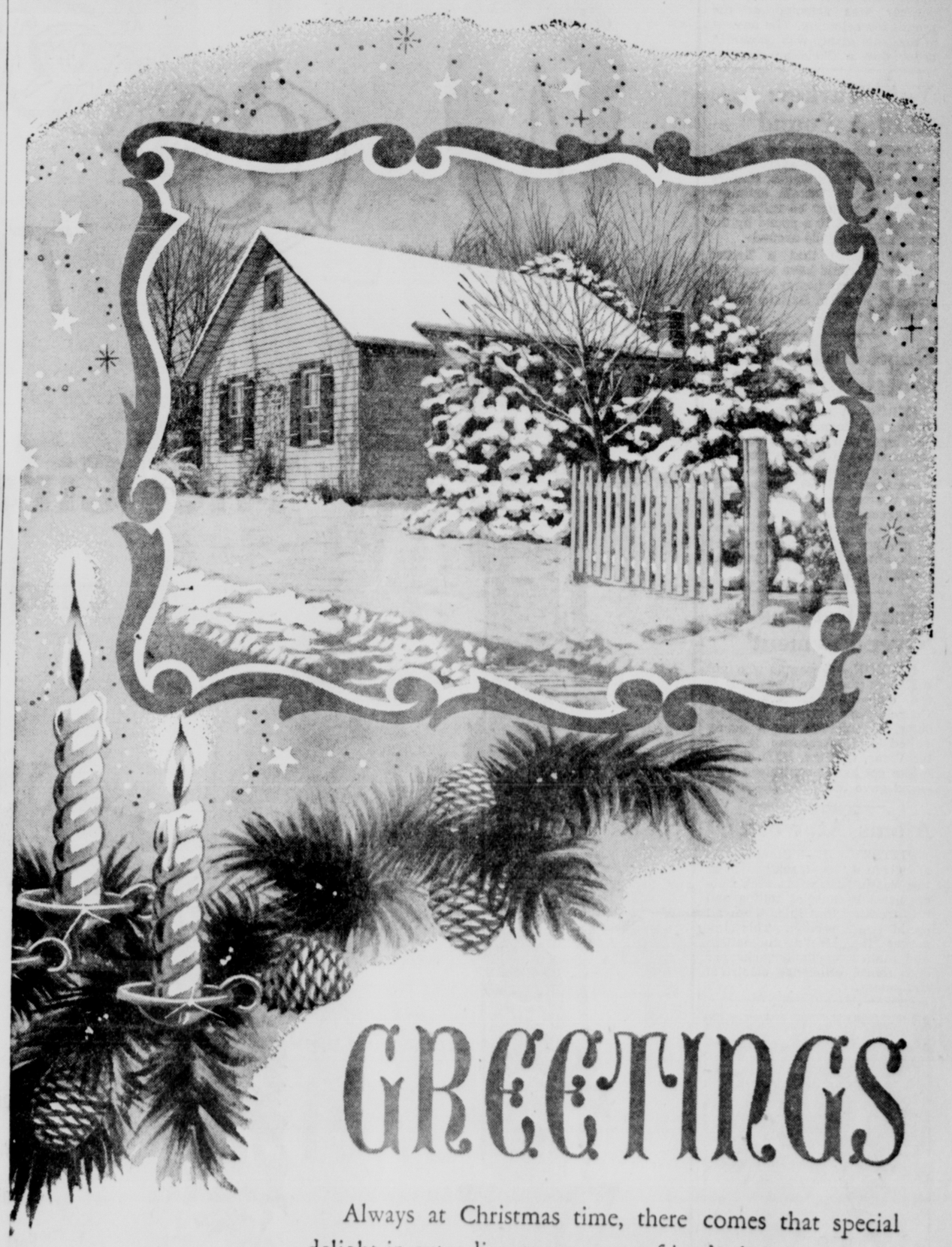
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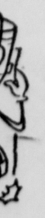
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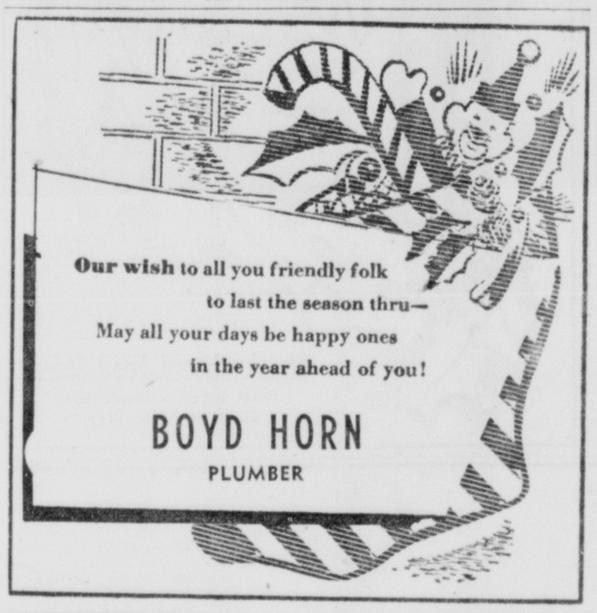
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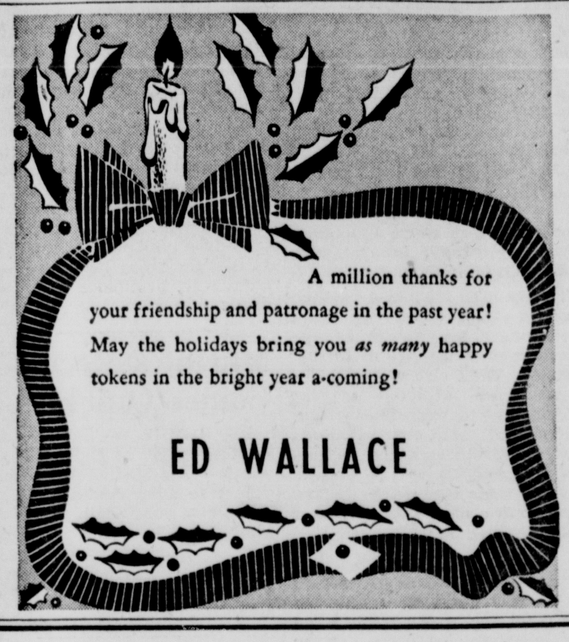
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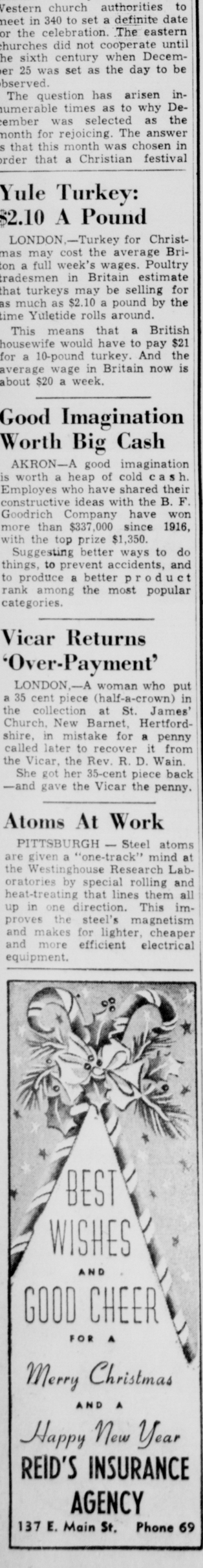


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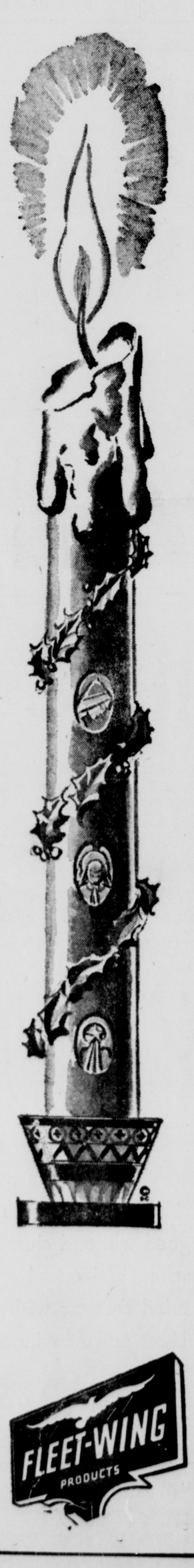

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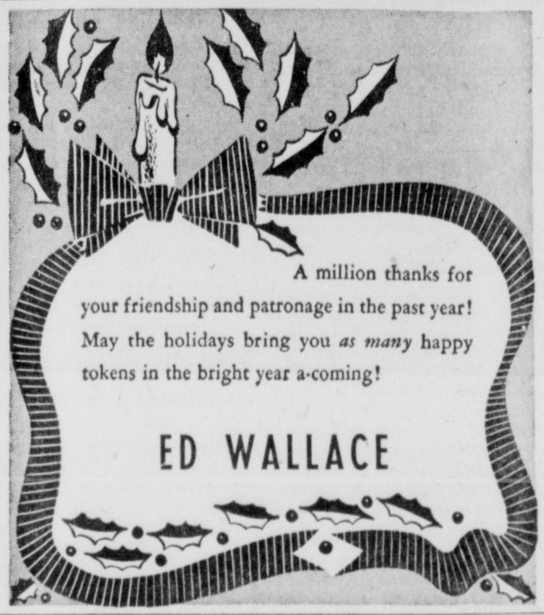
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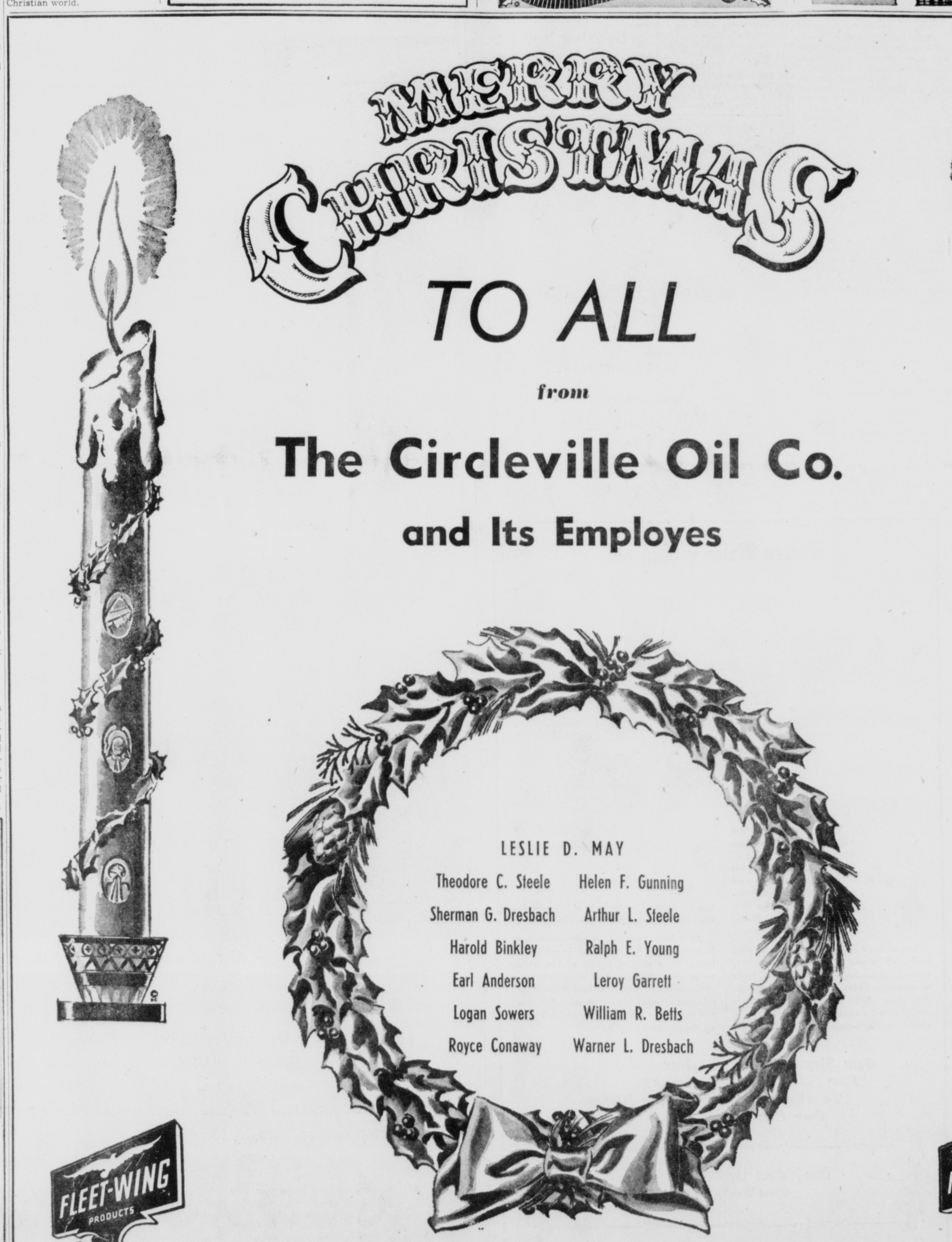
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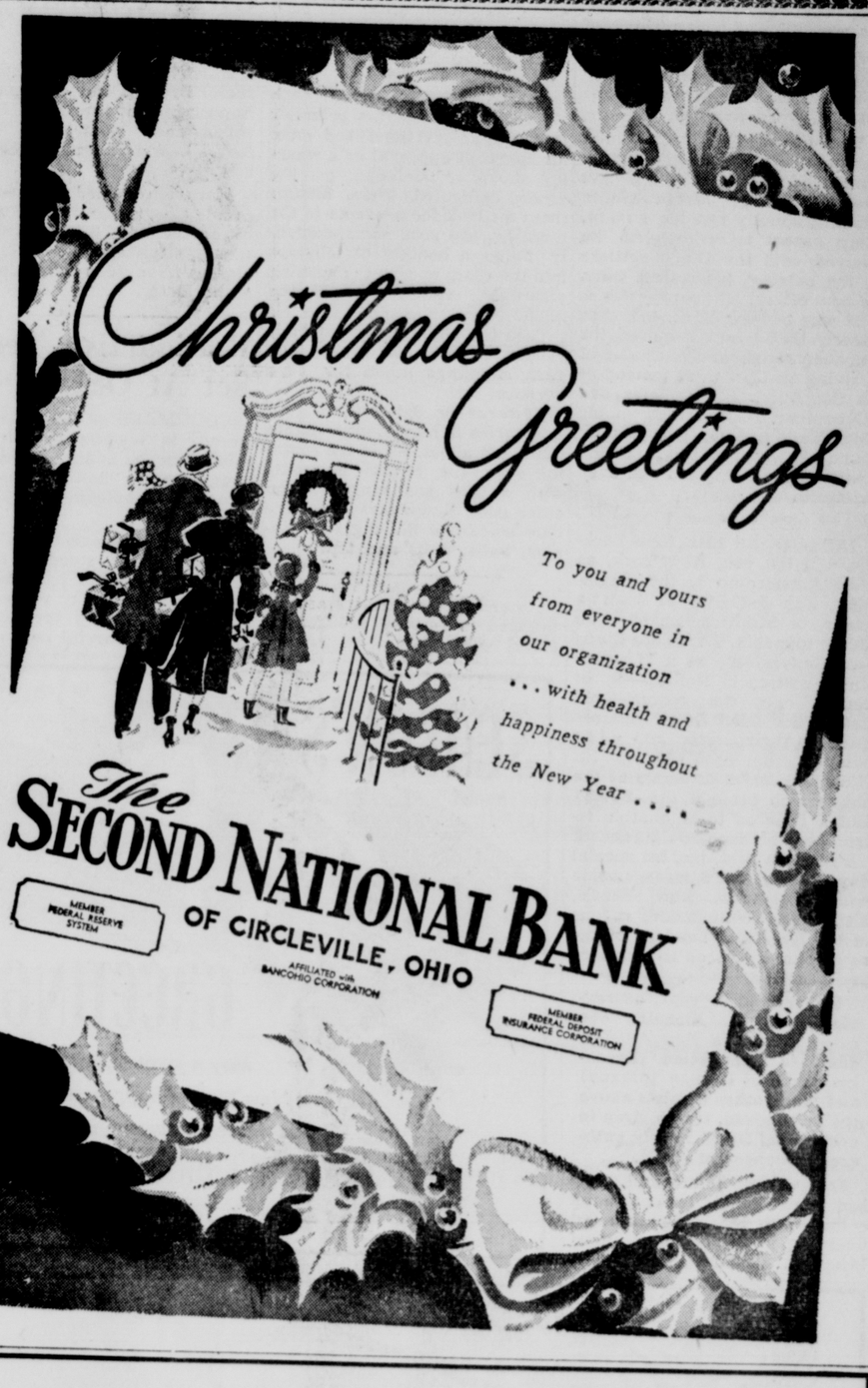
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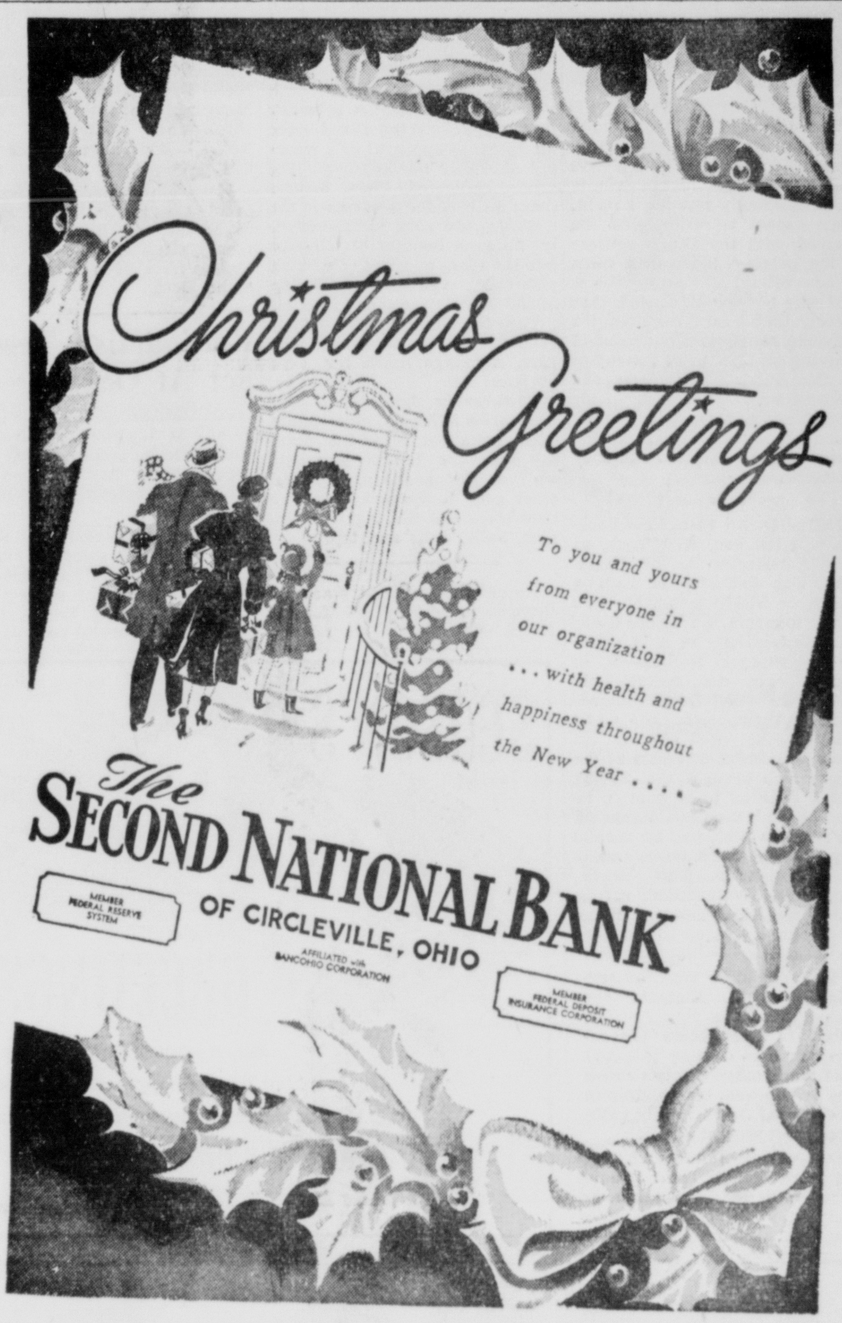
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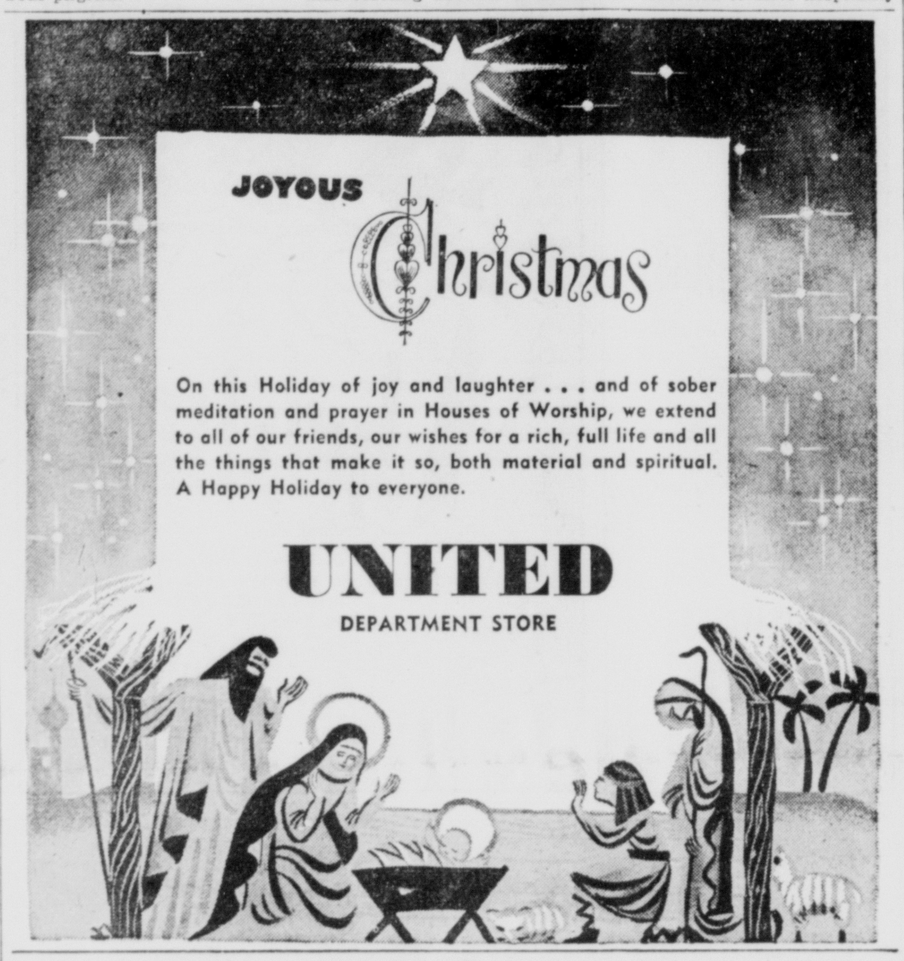
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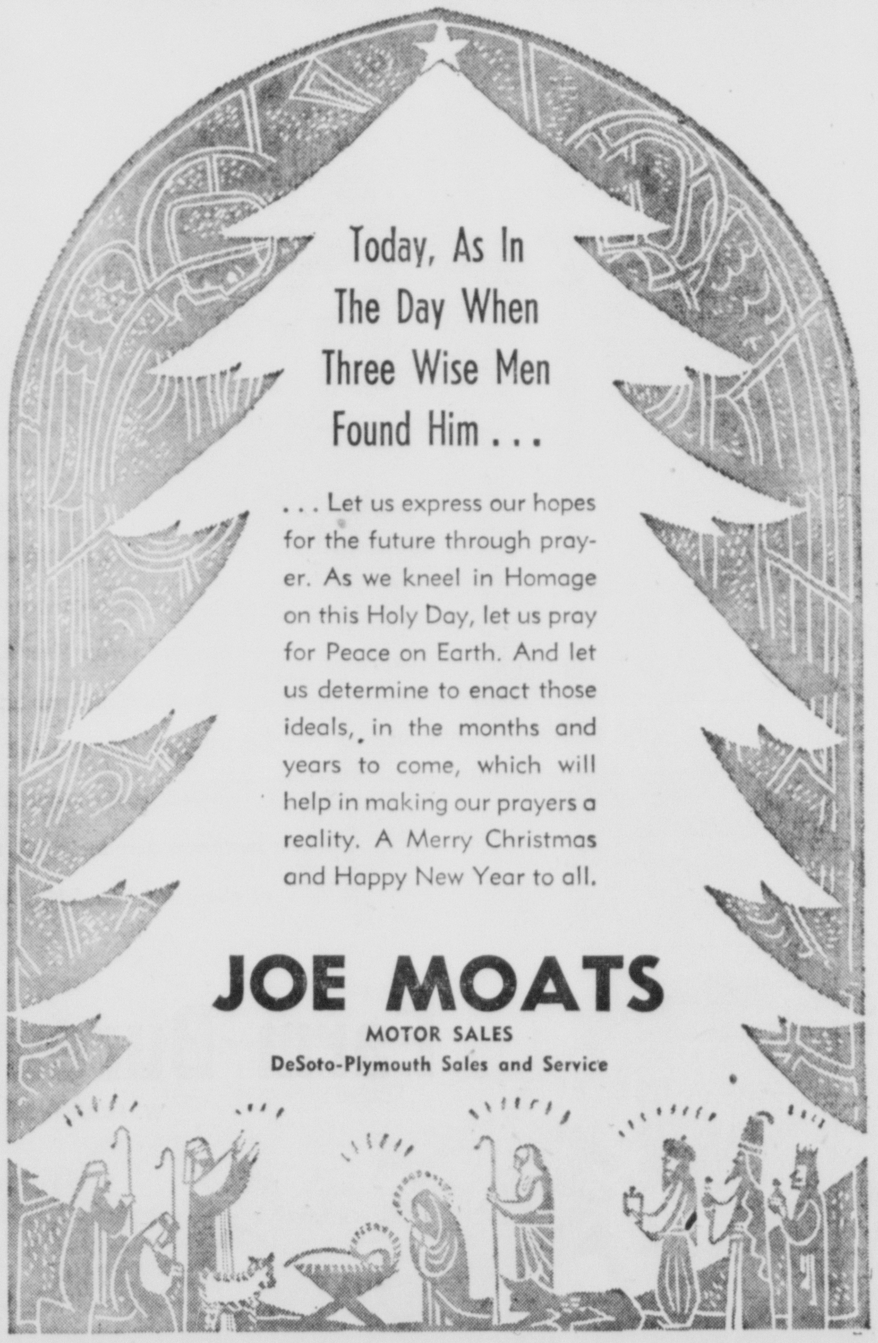


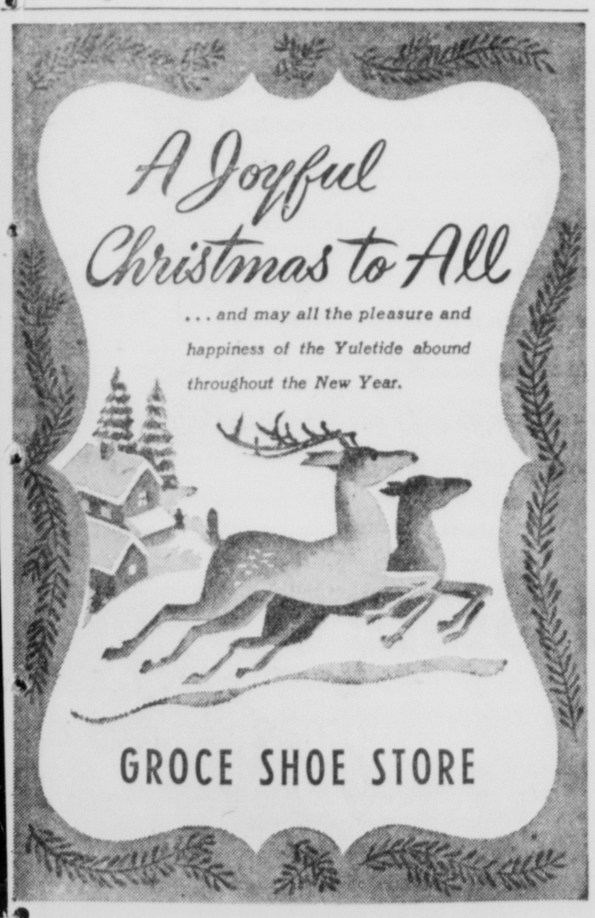
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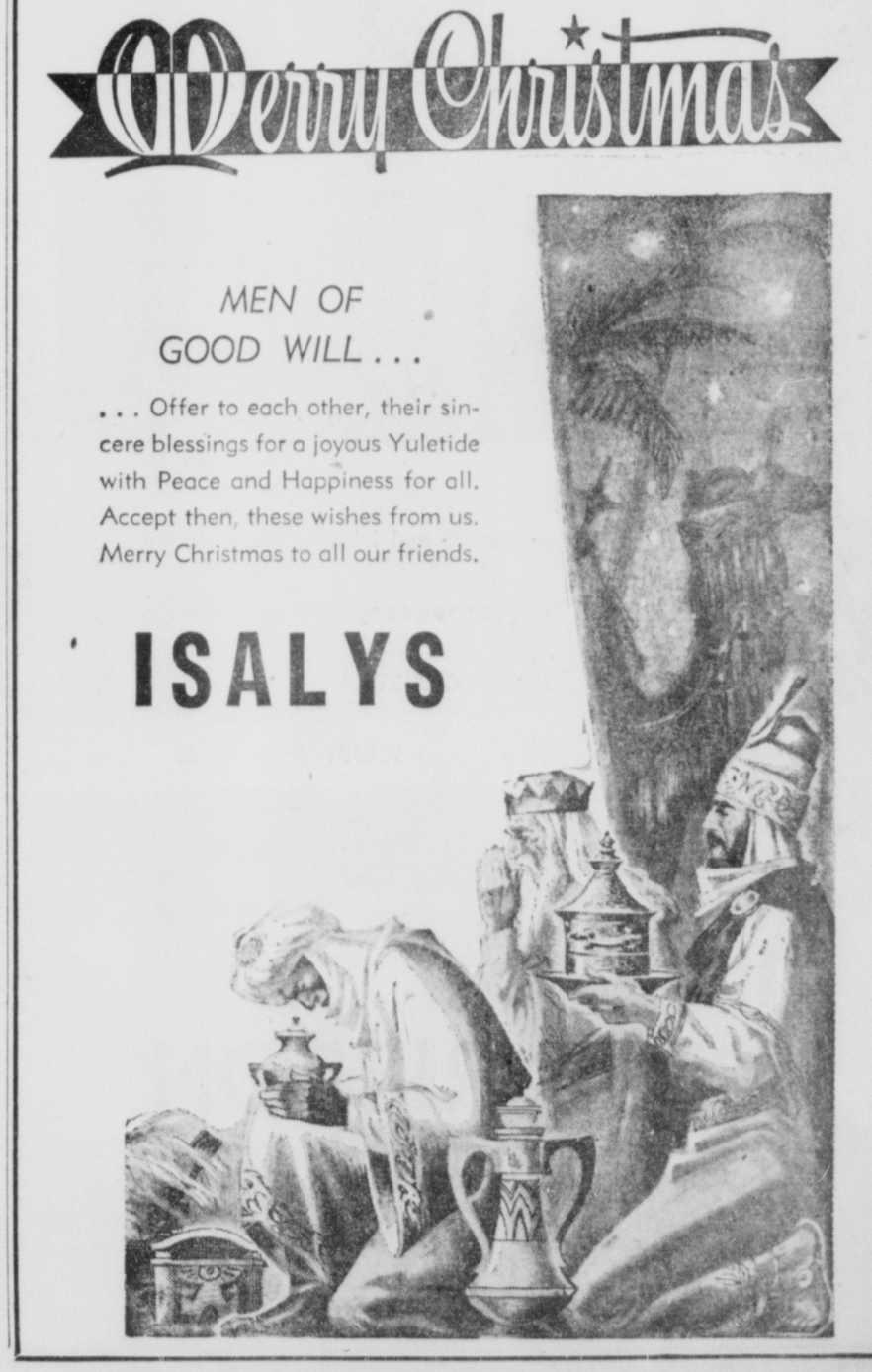












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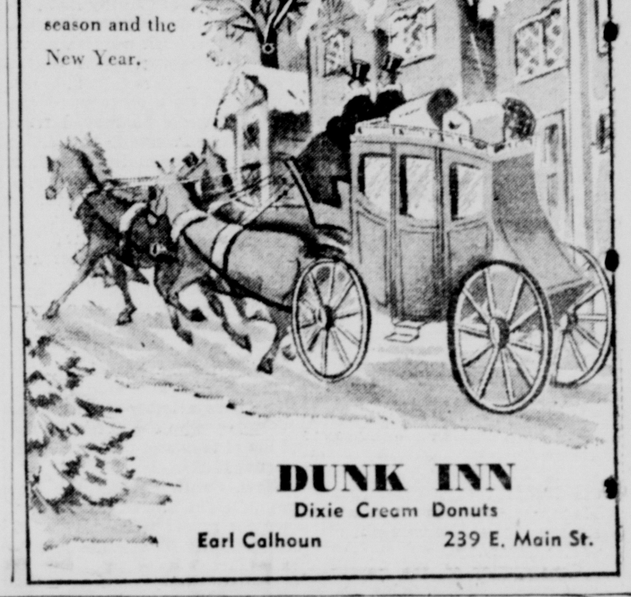


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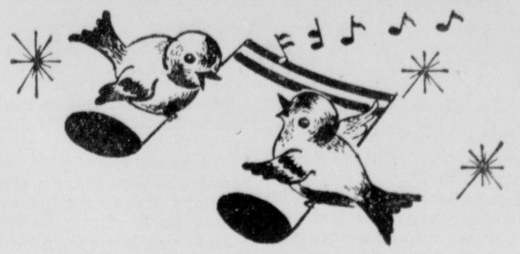
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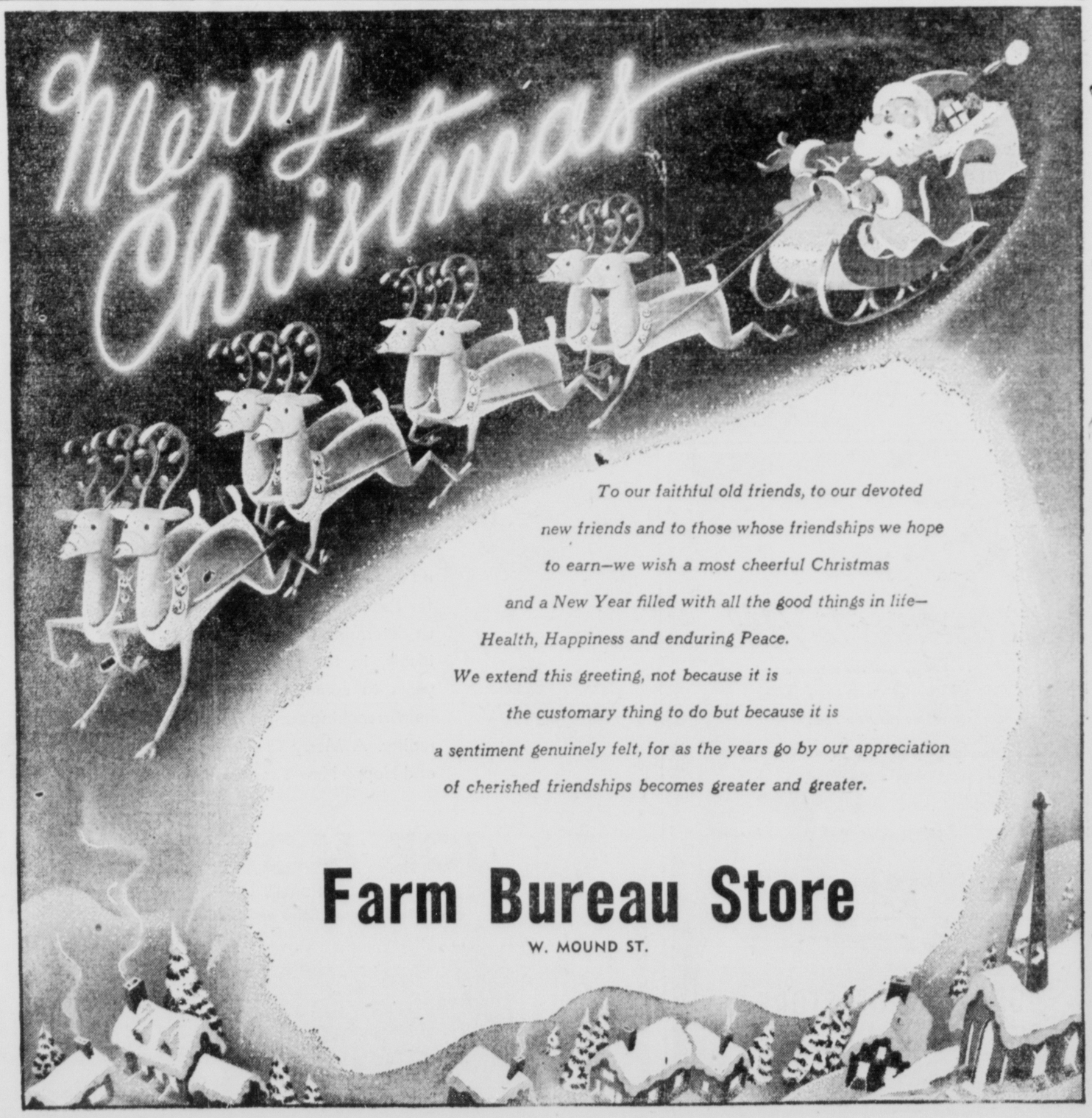
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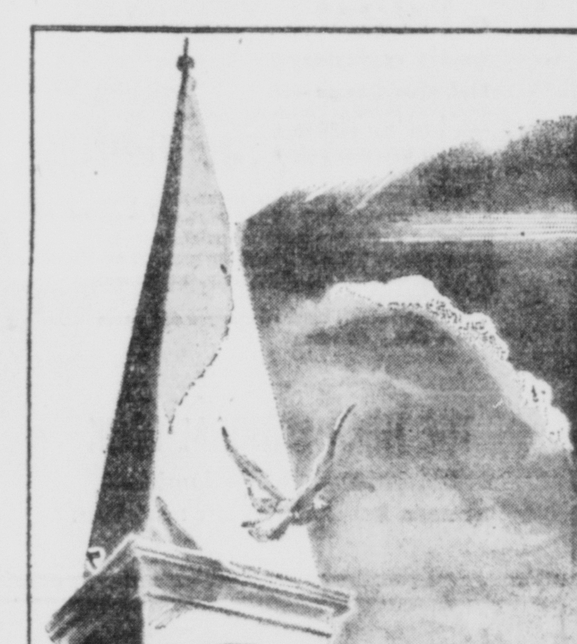


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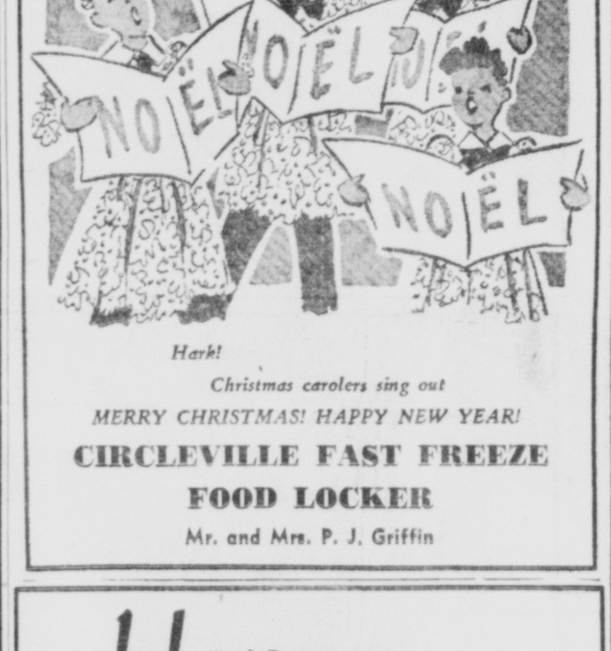


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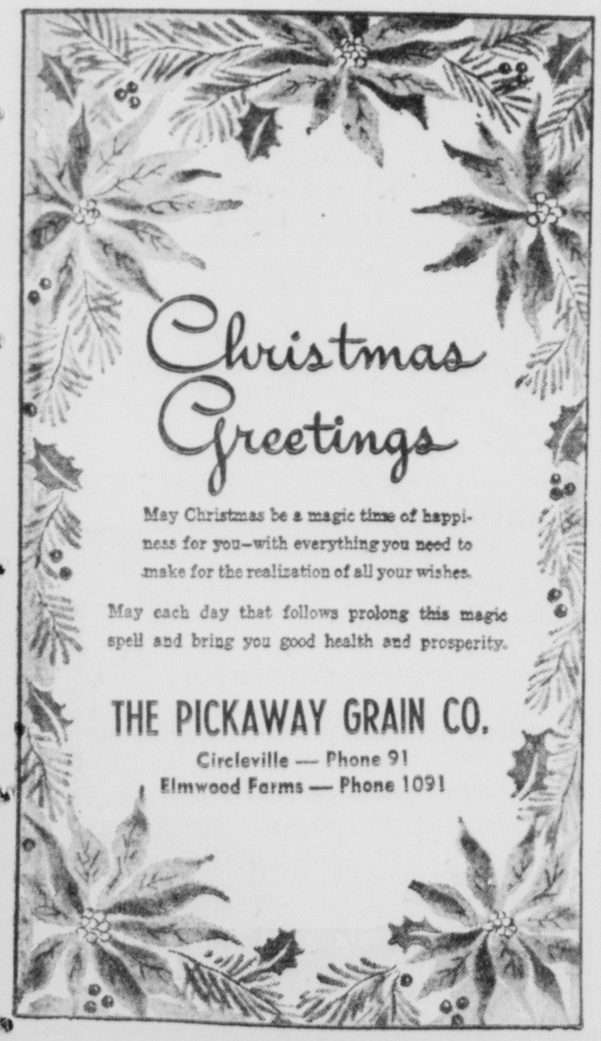
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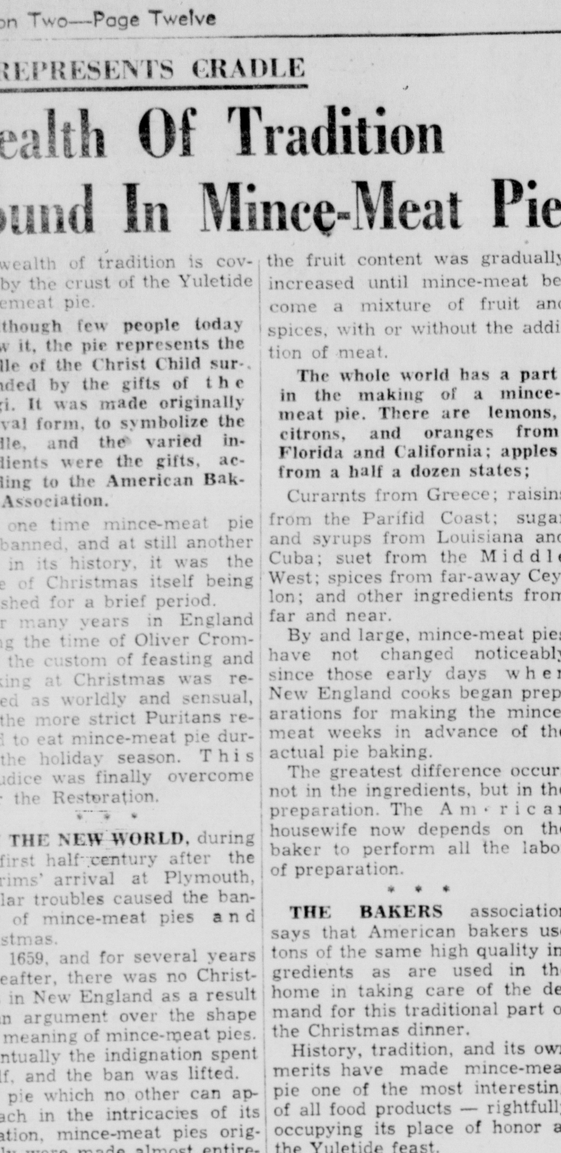
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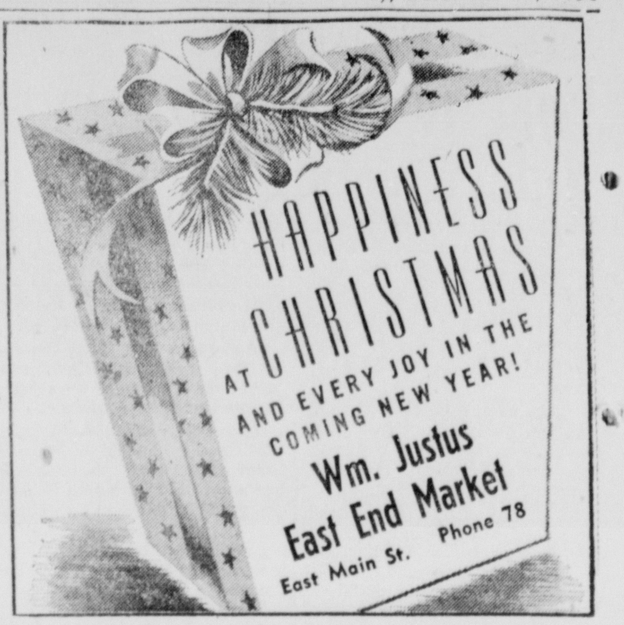
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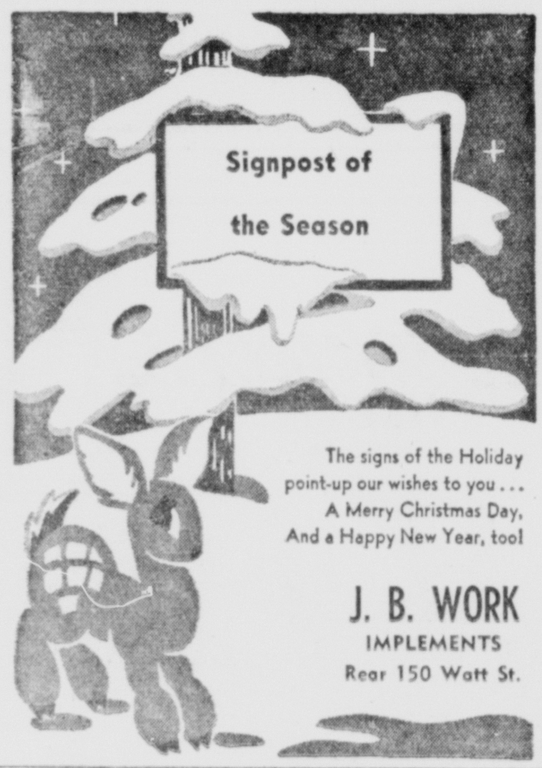


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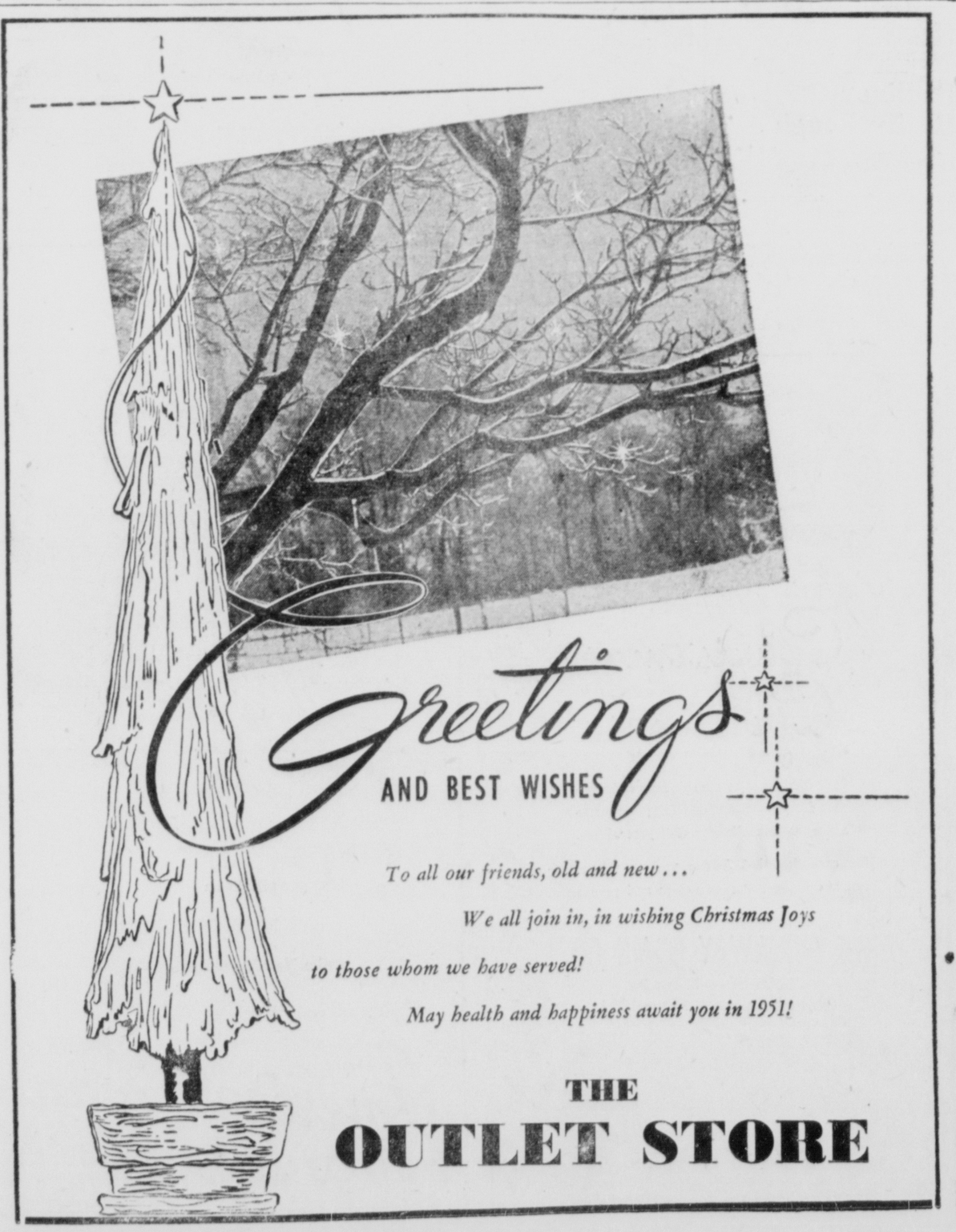
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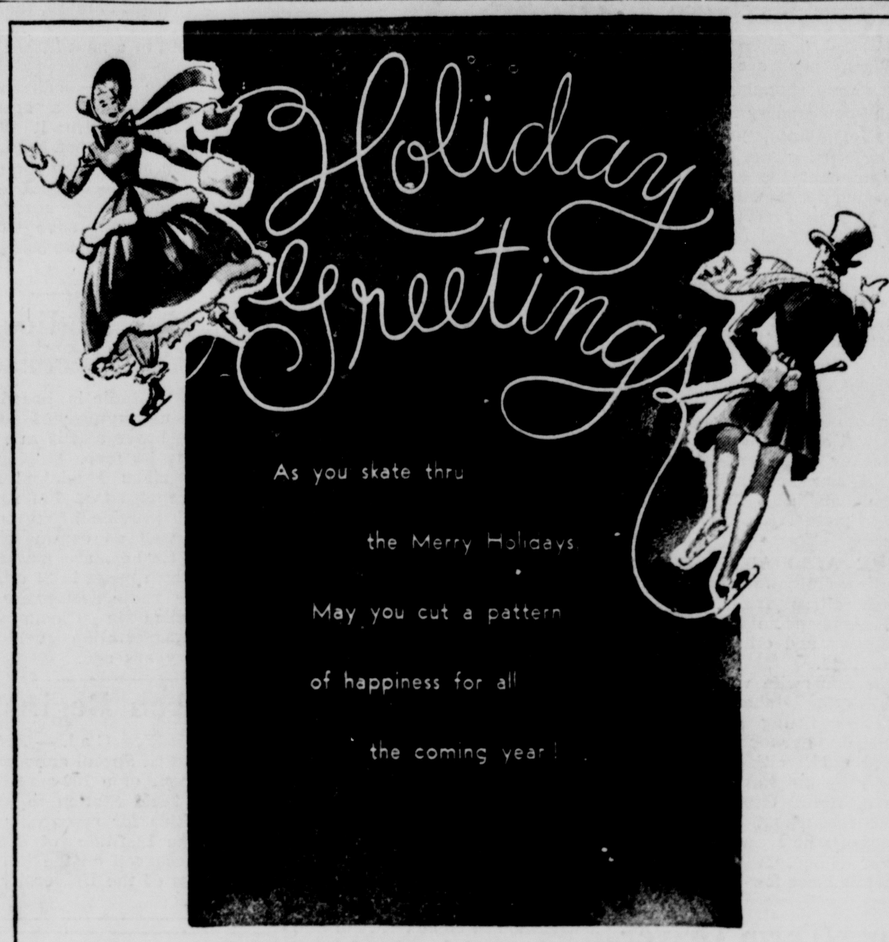
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CHRISTMAS EVE CUSTOM

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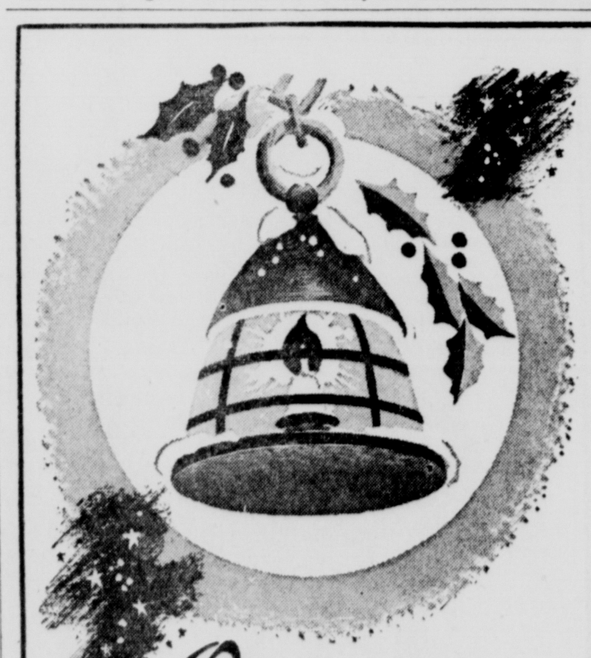
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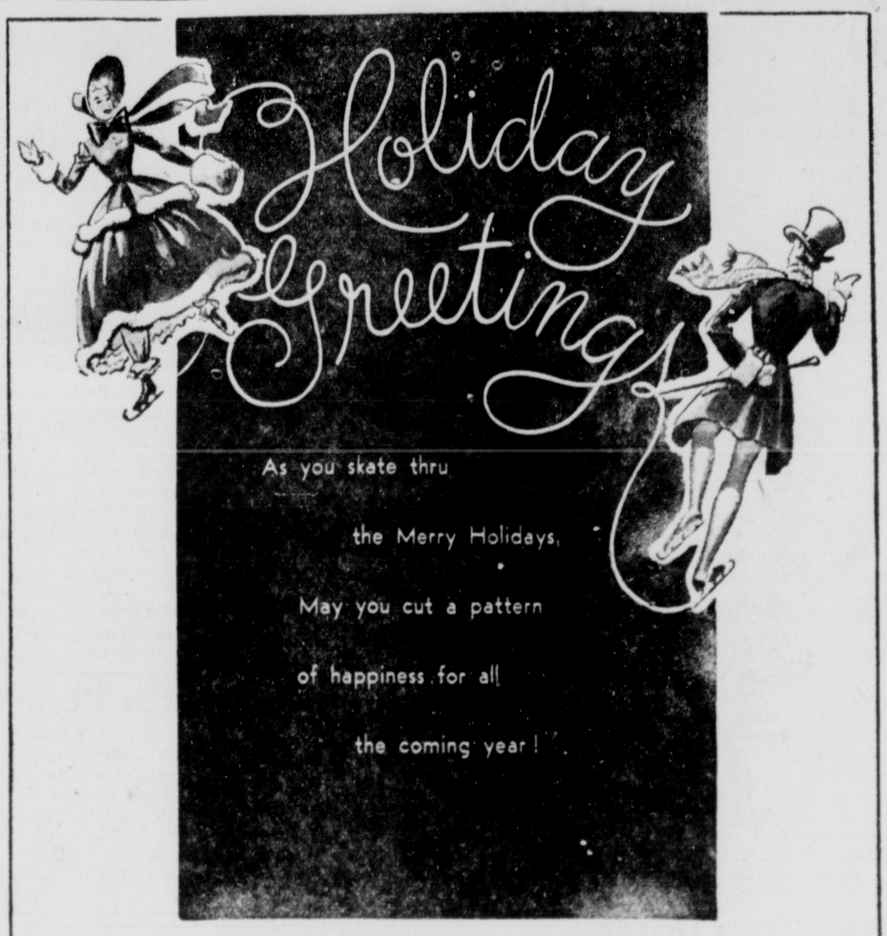
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"I CAN'T ALWAYS remember what month it is," she said, her eyes twinkling, "because it is December all year around in this house."

She revealed that her husband talks to hundreds of children each year on the long-distance phone. "People call him from all over the country to ask him to tell their little boy or girl to stop sucking their thumbs, staying up late, or eating too much candy."

In the Summer, people going by the aged country house, framed by sixty-foot fir trees, sing Christmas carols and tourists stop to talk with Mr. and Mrs. Howard and ask, half-seriously, "is my name in Santa's book?"

Throughout the "off seasons" Santa Howard studies the methods and theories of being a better Santa Claus, and he has a special workshop where he studies electronics and the latest scientific developments, in order to make Santa ever new.



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Virginians Due To Relate Old Story Of Yule Log

In Virginia, the old Dominion, storied land of early American history, there is an old tradition of the origin of the Yule log that is retold every Christmas.

As the family sits around the Yule log and sips their Christmas eggnog on Christmas eve, the ancient legend is recounted again:

One very cold Christmas eve, when the frosty wind howled across a world of snow, an old man was sitting in his little cabin wishing that he had a fire to warm him.

Suddenly he heard the cry of a little child away out in the cold. The old man hobbled to the door and gazed out across the snow. The wind and the snow came rustling in and the old man shivered until his "onliest two teef" chattered with cold.

The plaintive cry of the child came again above the whistle of the wind. It went straight to the old man's heart and he wished with all his power of longing that he might have the strength to go out and find the unfortunate babe.

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THE CRY CAME a third time—and then a wondrous thing happened. A miraculous power filled the old man's veins. His muscles became strong and tense, his crutch fell back into the cabin and he stepped from his threshold out into the snow.

Hurrying over the snow with a speed he had not owned since boyhood, by and by he came to a little child lying in a snow bank.

He bent down and touched the child and a great new strength flowed over him, a strength which seemed to give him wings as he sped back to his cabin.

Arriving there, he placed the child upon the bed, tenderly drew the ragged coverlet about it and then looked to see if there were a bit of furniture he could use to make a fire with which to warm the little one.

At that precise moment a great log rolled across the threshold and into the fireplace.

The little child looked at the log with eyes like stars—stars which sent gleams of light that kindled the log with the most brilliant fire the old man ever had seen.

The dingy little room immediately was filled with radiance and warmth, and as the light enwrapped the child he laughed and laughed with a melody like a song from the heart. The old man turned his eyes to where the fire burned and watched the flames leap in beautiful rainbow tints over the log, and as his old eyes watched, the colors seemed to form the shape of the Cross in the fire.

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THE FLAMES of the Cross leaped higher and higher, blue, red, yellow and white, and as the old man watched this display, suddenly and magically there appeared a table in the center of the room, covered with a Christmas feast such as never before had been spread before his eyes.

And never again was the old man hungry or cold, and never after that was there a Christmas in old Virginia without the Yule log and the Christmas Child to give light and warmth.

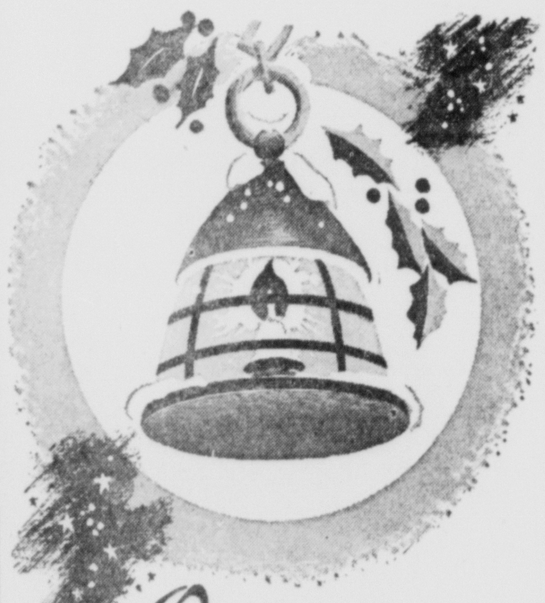
And that is the story of the Yule log as it is told in Virginia every Christmas eve.



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